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THE WEA[THER] Partly cloudy tonight. ... day. Slightly cooler.

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Screaming Children Burned to Death In Fatal School Fire

Twenty-one Bodies Recovered From Ruins of St. John's Parochial School at Peobody Massachusetts

MORE DEAD BURRIED IN THE RUINS

Peabody, Mass., Oct. 28 (By United Press) — Twenty-one burned and rushed bodies had been taken from he St. John's Parochial school here at 10:30 today. and firemen predicted that this would be more than doubled when all the panic stricken children were released from the smoke filled hallways. t was thought the loss of life would reach fifty.

More than 500 children were at their classes when an explosion occurred, probably in the basement. An alarm of fire was sounded, but the flames spread with great rapidity and those on the top floor were met by billows of smoke as they attempted to escape down the stairs Those on the lower floors of the three story brick building were thrown into panic and rushed about beyond the control of their teachers. Most of those on the lower floor escaped, but many were trampled and some were overcome by smoke.

When the fire department arri[ved] the entire building was a mas[s of] flames. So rapidly did the f[ire] spread that many of the chi[ldren ...] great many were killed or seriously injured by jumping, it is reported. Men and women from nearby houses rushed to the scene and held coats and blankets into which the children leaped. The heaviest loss was at the main door where the hall and stairway leading from the upper floors became choked with frantic children. The firemen were unable to rush their way through the crush and were forced to fight the fire from ladders.

Sisters of the school declared many of the children on the upper story had been unable to escape and undoubtedly had lost their lives. When firemen were finally able to reach the front door, they found three bodies just inside so jambed against the door it was only with the greatest effort that they were able to open it. One of these bodies was that of a boy who had been frightfully burned. The other two bodies were burned almost beyond recognition.

Mothers driven temporarily insane by terror and grief and half naked children rushing wildly in the midst of crowds crying for their parents, and a score of broken charred little bodies laid out in a row on the ground while the ruins of St. Johns Parochial school still smouldered and smoked, such was the scene this afternoon while firemen delved in the midst of the charred ruins in search of more bodies of children.

Every available ambulance answered the call that followed the outbreak of the school fire. Primarily they were intended to carry away injured children, but scores of mothers required the attention of the physicians and nurses. The ambulances made trip after trip hurrying away to the nearest hospital with raving mothers who had become almost insane at finding charred masses of flesh that had once been their little boys or girls.

That at least fifty children perished and that twelve of them injured will die as a result of the fire that swept St. John's Parochial School today, was theopinion of firemen. Sister Aldegon of the order of the Sacred Heart was one of the heroines of the great disaster. She saved the lives of twenty-five children by dropping them from a window to the outstretched arms of men standing below. Some of the youngsters she threw from the window by main force as they clung to her skirts terror stricken. Twice clouds of smoke rolled through the window where she stood and hid her from view of the watchers below. Murmurs of terror swept through the crowd, but the smoke rolled away and revealed the black robed sister as she swept another child to safety. Exhausted firemen told of acts of rare courage on the part of sixteen sisters, but agreed that the bravery of none of the sisters eclipsed that of Sister Aldegon.

Texas Governor Asks Additional Troops to Stop Raiding

Washington, Oct. 28. (By United Press)—President Wilson received a wire today from Governor Ferguson, of Texas asking that he send additional troops to the border. Ferguson reported that the situation in the vicinity of Brownsville is very serious and suggested that additional troops are needed in order to protect American lives. President Wilson turned the telegram over to Secretary Garrison with the suggestion that he take whatever action he thought necessary. With orders to fire across the border if necessary. American troops are today waiting developments.

Washington, Oct. 28. (By United Press) — That Governor Ferguson had not asked for additional federal troops in his telegram to the President today, but that instead had asked the President to urge General Carranza to use every power in his possession to stop further raids across the border by Mexican bandits, was explained at the white house this afternoon, when it was admitted the other statement had been made through unintentional error.

NOW RESTS IN AMERICAN MUSEUM.

Philadelphia, Oct. 28.—(By United Press.)—The landau in which the Empress Eugenie made her escape from Paris, September 5, 1870, following announcement of the defeat of her husband Napoleon III at Sedan, today was placed among the historical collections of the University of Pennsylvania.

The landau is in the Evans Dental museum of the university, founded by Thomas W. Evans, the famous Parisian dentist who accompanied the empress in her flight across the English channel.

FIFTY-FIVE CONVICTS CONFIRMED BY BISHOP.

Philadelphia. Oct. 28.—(By United Press.)—Fifty-five convicts in the Eastern penitentiary have just been confirmed by Bishop Garland, of the Episcopal Diocese of Pennsylvania. Warden McKenty announced that nearly two score others, who have joined the prison bible class, will be ready for confirmation within a short time.

MISSIONARY MEETING

Los Angeles, Oct. 28.—(By United Press.)—A meeting of the general executive committee of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the M. E. Church was scheduled to be conducted here today.

MISS EVA GIFFORD ACCEPTS POSITION IN WILLIAMSPORT

Miss Eva Gifford who for the past ten years has been employed in the A. W. Leonardson store, has accepted a fine position in Williamsport. Miss Gifford will leave Sunday to take up her new position.

She is one of the most popular and most capable employees of the company and she will be greatly missed not only by the company but also by their many customers as she was a most obliging employe.

MEETING OF I. O. O. F.

There will be a special meeting of the order at 7:30 Friday evening, October 29.

O 28 2t. H. F. MANN, N. G.

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FAREWELL PARTY IS GIVEN FOR MISS GIFFORD

The employees of the A. W. Leonardson store gave a delightful farewell party last evening at the home of Miss Gussie Craft, on Fourth street for Miss Eva Gifford who has accepted a position in Williamsport. Delicious refreshments were served. All wished Miss Gifford great success in her new surroundings.

MASQUERADE PARTY

A surprise masquerade party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Murray on Ogden avenue last evening in honor of Miss Ursula Murray's birthday anniversary. About 25 guests weer present and games and dancing furnished the chief amusement of the evening. Delicious refreshments were served which were enjoyed by all present. Decorations, refreshments and games were all in order of the hallowe'en spirit.

SOUTHERN COLLEGE CONFERENCE.

Nashville, Oct. 28.—The annual meeting of the Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools of the Southern states met in this city today for a two-day session. More than 100 delegates are in attendance, representing the principal educational institutions of Kentucky, Louisiana, Alabama, Georgia, Florida, Mississippi, Virginia, Tennessee and the Carolinas.

NEW ACTIVITIES TO BE INAUGURATED AT "Y" THIS YEAR

Secretary Lewis Returns From Trip With Head Full of New Ideas

Several Education Classes to be Started Soon —Social Activities is Feature of New Life at Y. M. C. A.

Mr. Lewis, secretary of the Y. M. C. A. returned home Monday evening from a week's vacation to Philadelphia, during which time he was active in association work. The trip was a very profitable one as he returned home with a head full of new ideas which he will promote this winter and arrangements for several concerts completed. Outside his activities in association work Mr. Lewis reports having a very enjoyable trip.

Among the work he did while in Philadelphia was to secure some fine entertainers for the coming winter Arthur Lockhart Seymour, the leading baritone of Philadelphia was secured to give an entertainment here in November. Mr. Seymour is a distinguished singer and the people of this community will be given a rare treat when he comes to town. Another noted entertainer that Mr. Lewis secured on his trip is Richard E. Wilson, former city librarian, of Philadelphia and at present promoter of service of the associations about Philadelphia.

Mr. Lewis also attended the conference of the Philadelphia Y. M. C. A. secretaries and gave a long account of the work at Clearfield by the chairman's request. Mr. Lewis was given a royal reception upon his entry by the whole convention and was also complimented by the different members on his work here.

Mr. Lewis secured the material for the public speaking club, which will start the first week in November, and also perfected the plans for the various other clubs which will be started this winter under his direction. New hymn books for the religious meetings were secured and arrangements for motion pictures were completed. On his return trip Mr. Lewis stopped off at several other cities and talked over association work but the details of these visits have not been made public.

From all appearances, the association will be a real community center this season. Things are already humming at the building on Second street and plans are beginning to materialize. One of the features of the new life at the association is the social activities which have previously been molested. These will be started within the near future as plans for the first number are being laid at present. Several young men are co-operating with the secretary and physical director in these new plans and they will be a success unless some new obstacle is confronted which is not likely to happen.

BISHOPS' COLLEGE MEET.

Dallas, Tex., Oct 28.—(By United Press.)—The college of bishops of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, opened a three-day session here today.

RUSSIANS GUILTY OF DISIPATION, ACKERMAN AVERS

U. P. Correspondent Says Board of Inquary Would Disclose Official Rottenness

Claims Kitchener Was Deceived When Told Kowno Was Evacuated—Fortress Still a Strong One.

BY CARL W. ACKERMAN.
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

Kowno, Russia, Sept. 27.(By Courier to Berlin; Mailed to New York.) —Kitchener was deceived by his Russian adviser if they reported Kowno and other fortified cities "emptied" by the retreating army, for that is a half truth.

Kowno city is an "empty shell" but the nine forts and twenty new batteries are filled with powerful cannon,—over 1,300 of them—mostly undamaged. The hill sidse about the Memel river are store houses of ammunition. The city is plundered—shop after shop is wrecked and the 25,000 inhabitants remaining are barefooted and destitute.

If Russia were America, congress might find material here for many court martials and an army reorganization which would astound.

In Kowno, more than seven million rounds of rifle ammunition and several hundred thousand rounds of shrapnel and heavy artillery were found. A captured Russian lieutenant swore this ammunition did not "fit the guns." These valuable stores, which the Allies so badly needed, slipped in the wrong positions. Kitchener surely didn't know of this, think the Germans, or he would never have declared to the world that the Germans were winning only "empty shells."

Another thing an American investigation committte would find, would be evidence of dissipation. Empty champagne bottles and empty cases are almost as thick as guns. Officers tell me that in searching the abandoned desks in officers quarters they find women's lirgerie and other evidences of "high life." Captured Russians and the few shop keepers who remained behind testify that nearly every officer had a mistress.

I talked to Dr. Prussian, who married a Brooklyn woman and who was for many years a doctor aboard North-German Lloyd passenger ships, about immortality among the Russian troops. He is a volunteer in the Russian hospital. He declared that the best residents of Kowno, who stayed here told him that many Russian girls and women were abandoned by retreating Russians—some of the girls 16 and 17.

I saw today Forts 1, 2, 3 and battery 4. Everywhere the finest guns were in position with not even the locks destroyed. Most of them were oiled and ready for instant use.

It is true that the German 42 cm. guns smashed some strategic positions. In fort No. 2 one 42 cm. shell drilled a hole 40 or 50 feet into the ground and exploded, destroying the only important communicating underground passage between the batteries. From the mute evidence of old torn boots, rifles, hats and coats thereabout it must have killed and buried alive more than a hundred men.

I can easily understand why this may have caused a panic among the officers and men. but I can not understand why a fortified city should be abandoned when less than 30 per cent. of the fortifications were fired at.

Battery 4, which commands the main, double track railroad, which the advancing Germans used, was not damaged. A captured Russian under-officer said today that not a German shell was fired at this battery.

When the Russians retreated they did it so suddenly that these cannon were not even used to destroy the railroad line. This lack of action was valuable to the incoming Germans, enabling them to make speedy progress

By two Russians I am told that the reason the advancing Germans capture so many Russians is that the officers receive word to retreat and instead of taking their armies with them, they load their valuables and their mistresses in their autos and harry away.

An under-officer left in command of battery 4 when the officers fled, told me today in the penitentiary where he is imprisoned, that when he saw the higher officers leave and was instructed to break the locks in the cannon neither he nor his men would do it.

Such is part of the story of Kowno. German officers declare it is not an exception. The Germans believe Kitchener was badly "buncoed"—and that the English and French armies are paying the penalty for a weakened ally through this lack of information. If Kitchener's army fought like that the Germans could be in London next week, the Germans say.

WAR ODDITIES.

Berlin — The certification of copper threatens the existence of shower baths in the municipal schools.

(Tomorrow — What the Russians Did Destroy at Kowno.)

HIGH SCHOOL MASQUERADE PARTY THIS EVENING

One Act Farce to be Given by All-Star Cast Composed of Seniors

There will be a high school masquerade party in the high school bopilding under the auspices of the senior class this evening the proceeds of which will be given to the athletic association. A one act farce "Two College Tramps" which will be given by the seniors will be the chief attraction of the evening. Dancing and games will also be enjoyed by the students.

The characters of the farce are:

John Saunders (the parson) .... Walter Kennard
John Ransom (Waggles) .... Howard Stewart
Mrs. Susan Saunders (Aunt Susan) .... Grace Connelly
Susan Ralston ....Ethel Ruth Boyce
Nellie Ransom (the maid) .... Vera Ogden

BIDS FOR NEW HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING OPENED BY BOARD

Dawson Construction Co. Of Pittsburg the Lowest Bidder---Bid $67,750

Contract Not Awarded on Account of Contemplated Changes—Foundation Rapidly Nearing Completion.

The school board held a meeting Tuesday evening at which time the bids for the erection of the new high school building were opened, but no contract was let u[ntil] further investigation and un[til an] interview is held with the arch[itect]s.

On account of the several minor changes in the plans which the board are contemplating on making the exact figures of the bids are not known at present, but as soon as the changes are decided upon the bid will be made public. In the bids there are prices on the contemplated changes which increase the cost of construction, but these have not been tabulated.

These bids include all the conveniences such as light, heat and plumbing but not the concrete construction work. This work was given to John Minns of DuBois some time ago and is rapidly nearing completion. The work on the building proper will probably not be started until next spring an account of the weather, but if there is a late winter this year the work will be started as soon as possible.

The lowest bid opened was that of the Dawson Construction company, of Pittsburg, the amount being $67,750 but on account of the undecided changes it is not known whether this company will be awarded the contract. The highest bidder was Lew Wallace and Bellefonte, whose figures was $81,582.00. Mr. Wallace was the contractor of the Bellefonte high school building which was erected about four years ago.

The following is a list of the bidders and the amount not including the changes:

Dawson Construction Co., of Pittsburg $67,750.00.

Hyde Murphy Co., of Ridgeway, $70,665.00.

W. A. Lukens, of Clearfield $70,981.00.

Cuthbert Bros. Co., of Pittsburg $71,889.00.

Luna Mfg. Co., of Bradford, $72,950.00.

Lew Wallace of Bellefonte, $81,582.00.

DIMELING DANCE POSTPONED UNTIL WEEK FROM TOMORROW

Many Entertainments Set for Friday Night Cause Change in Date

Because of the many entertainments to take place on Friday night it has been decided to postpone the subscription dance which was to have been held until the following Friday night. Those holding tickets for tomorrow night's dance will not have to pay an extra subscription for the postponed dance.

Have you tried Denning's fresh buttered popcorn?

French Cabinet Has Resigned: Briand To Become Premier

Diplomatic Bungling In Bulgarian Case Given As Cause for Breaking Up Viviani Government

FRANCE AND ENGLAND BOTH DISGUSTED

Paris, Oct. 28 (By United Press)—The entire French cabinet's resignation was announced officially today. Premier Viviani offered his resignation previous to the resignation of the entire cabinet, as head of the French cabinet, today. President Poincaire, it was officially stated, asked Aristide Briand to form a new ministry.

The shake was attributed mainly to general dissatisfaction with the government's policy especially in connection with the German diplomatic victory which brought Bulgaria into the present war.

In France, as well as in England, the decision of the Bulgarians who had been waving between joining the allies and the central powers, to cast their lot with the latter, was attributed to diplomatic blundering.

The Chamber of Deputies adjourned after a stormy session today, at the request of M. Viviani, who asked that discussion of the cabinet's organization be put over until tomorrow. Consent was given.

Find Body of Woman Auditor Mutilated On Railroad Track

Pittsburg. Oct. 28. (By United Press)—The assistant city controller went to the morgue today and identified the headless and mutilated body of a woman found on the tracks of the Pennsylvania railroad near Roup station last night as that of Miss Sofia McCallin, auditor in the controller's office. Miss McCallin is the daughter of the former Pittsburg mayor and widely known in business and social circles. The body was found by Dr. Alexander. The head was severed and the body mutilated. How she came to her death is a mystery.

Fire Threatens Destruction of Irwin--Little Town Asks Help

Irwin, Oct. 28. (By United Press) —Fire which started at 8:30 this morning in the McClelland building in the center of the city and which is still raging, has so far destroyed three buildings, the McClellan building and two others. No details have been received as to the loss of life or the estimated damage so far done. The firemen are bravely fighting the flames which threaten to destroy the Citizen's National bank. Help was summoned from Jeanette and McKeesport.

Startling Disclosures Promises After Arrest of Bomb Fixers

New York, Oct. 28. (By United Press)—That in the arrest of Robert Fay and his associates for alleged conspiracy to blow up trans-Atlantic munition ships, the United States government has dipped into only the "froth of the whole matter" was a statement made to the United Press today by a very high government official. The arrest of the five men is the crystilization of several months work by a neutrality squad of 50 picked men from the office of the collector of the ports of New York City.

WELL KNOWN RESIDENT OF TOWN DIES THIS MORNING

Samuel P. Schenck, of Clearfield Street Dies From Kidney Trouble

Samuel P. Schenck died this morning at 10:40 o'clock at his home on Clearfield street from kidney trouble, aged 73 years. Mr. Schenck was born at Howard, Centre county September 15, 1842, coming to Clearfield about 45 years ago. He was a partner of the contracting company known as Schenck and Markle and was active until his health became impaired.

The deceased was a life long member of the Lutheran churhc and took an active part in church work. He was also a member of the I. O. O. F. which organization will be in charge of his funeral. The funeral will be held from the Lutheran church, Sunday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock, Rev. Allenbach officiating.

Mr. Schenck is survived by his widow and the following children: Melvin, Edward, Cleo, and Mrs. Grey Miller all of whom reside in Clearfield.

FORTY CARLOADS OF HORSES PASS THROUGH TOWN TODAY

"Cannon Fodder" Consigned to the French Government Enroute to New York

Forty solid carloads of horses consigned to the French government will pass through Clearfield on the B. R. & P. between four and six o'clock this afternoon. These animals are from the Northwestern states, where they were gathered up by purchasing agents of the French government. The shipment will go through to New York, point of embarkation.

Prof Becker used "Royal Quality Flour" exclusively in his baking demonstration at Clearfield, Oct ... to 23. O 28 2t

Denning's fresh ... is made every ...

SOFT TONED DECORATIONS AT HORSE SHOW.

New York, Oct. 28.—(By United Press.)—Many fine horses never before exhibited have been picked up by exhibitors never before on the entry lists, for the National Horse Show at Madison Square Garden, November 6.

Madison Square Garden will be tastefully decorated in soft tones calculated to show off the gowns worn by society women. The color scheme as yet is a secret to all but the arrangement committee. These newcomers to the show ring have been purchasing liberally. Horses have been secured from some big stables that have come under the hammer, notably that of the late A. G. Vanderbilt.

Mr. Vanderbilt had been gathering horses at his Oakwood Farm with the intention of competing at this year's show. For some seasons he had entered only a few horses, thinking that as he was president of the association he should not strive for the ribbons, but last fall he determined to get together another fine stable and these horses have nearly all been sold.

James Cox Brady was a large purchaser, and he will exhibit at the show in harness, saddle and hunting classes. He also had a particularly fine lot of ponies. J. Campbell Thompson, who showed a fine lot of young harness horses at the White Plains show, will have these, together with his older campaigners, at the Garden. He has entered thirty-nine horses.

State Officials to Ask Public How It Likes the Juvenile Laws.

Boston, Oct. ... (By United Press.) ... citizens just ... the juvenile probation laws and the way they are administered, the Massachusetts probation board began a public hearing in the state house here today.

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THURSDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 28, 1915

Today's great thought: Gott and the Kaiser are new [illegible].

[illegible] we need a wee bit of boosting. Our [illegible] is just on the point of outgrowing its breeches, and [illegible] must be made for longer legs.

[illegible] Washington partyites pass over Bowman's [illegible] slap in the face, Bowman will be pleased to slap them on the other cheek at the first opportunity.

Mr. Bowman's kidding the voters when he arrogates unto himself full credit for "reducing the millage and wiping out the county debt." A cursory investigation of the county books will show that the county was out of debt before he came into office, and that the millage has not been reduced since that unfortunate event.

[illegible] town is just what you make it. Substantial men behind substantial growth is not "booming," and no amount of fub-dub can make it so. Substantial men are behind Clearfield's growth every minute of the day, which makes it hard to understand why some of our ultra-conservative people have such an inordinate fear of a "boom."

Hugh Kline is stirring the lethargic Democratic county organization into a perfect frenzy of activity to prevent his election to succeed H. L. Bowman as county commissioner. Kline is a belter with full justification for shaking the party which countenanced his defeat in the primaries by political rottenness which has no place in local affairs. Respectable Democrats will turn to him in droves on November 2.

A correspondent asks why The Progress so strongly opposes Bowman, and does not "go after" any of the other Democratic candidates. That is an easy question to answer. The Progress does not consider Bowman's record as a public official either clean or efficient, and does not believe that his "experience in office" will be used for the benefit of anyone save H. L. Bowman if he is reelected. Experience is a good thing. We have had one experience with Bowman, and that is enough.

APPRECIATION

Once in a blue moon we run across a bit of appreciation that has a sincere, cross-your-heart ring to it; the kind that you wish right heartily you could recognize occasionally in some of the sycophantic drueling that most people offend you with when there is something you can do for them. Turn over to page four and read the simple letter written by an Erie grocer to a local manufacturer telling him that the product of his factory is extra good, and is giving perfect satisfaction. It rings true, and is true, because the simple directness of an honest man sticks out of every corner of it. Would that the world were fuller of just this kind of honest appreciation of the work of men's hands and heads. It would be a better place to live in, and many of us who are at times persuaded to believe that insincerity is a predominating trait of mankind would again feel a tingle of pleasure when the thing we work hard to do is honestly called "good."

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Today's Geographic Study of The Great European War Zone

"London, first among the war capitals, and foremost among the battle theatres on English gorund,—by reason of its having become the storm center for operations of the mighty Zeppelins,—is sketched with all the intimate details of long friendship by Florence Craig Albrecht in a communication to the National Geographic Society. Speaking of the many-sidedness, the great size and the ancient dignity of London, Mrs. Albrecht says:

"There are so many Londons in one London, where begin with them? The London of Roman and Saxon, of Norman and Plantagenet; the London of Chaucer and Shakespeare, of Lamb and Dickens and Thackeray; the London of clubs and hotels; the London of factories and sweatshops; the London that administers the affairs of empire, and the London that dances and plays cricket. There is the summer London of the tourist; there is social London revelling in May; there is the November London of smoke and fog, busy and inhospitable; there is today a darkened London, somewhat apprehensive, but determined, a London different from any we have known.

"Putting aside all unproven traditions, its history begins with the coming of the Roman legions. Rome, seven centuries, was in her pagan prime, but Paris, then Lutetia, was an island hamlet in the Seine; Vienna was a small Roman camp; Berlin did not come into existence for many a century thereafter; Madrid first appears 1,000 years later; Brussels was founded in the 6th century, Amsterdam about the 13th of our era. These count not at all in London's age.

"The city of London, the commercial heart of the metropolis on the site of the British hamlet and Roman town, measures about a mile square. In the day time its inhabitants number more than 300,000; at night not a twelfth that number sleep there—land is too valuable for residence. During one day a million and a half of people pass through its gates. Beyond it and across the river spreads another London, of 5,000,000 people, over 130 square miles, and beyond beyond that 'Greater London,' the district covered by the metropolitan and city police, with 700 square miles and more than 7,000,000 inhabitants.

"Her inhabitants, straightened and laid end to end, would reach from New York to San Francisco. Of her 650,000 buildings, 500 are hotels and inns. One hundred thousand Americans pass through them in peaceful summers and 15,000 resided there before the war. The East End, beyond the 'city' and the Tower, is a manufacturing district, tenanted largely by Jewish tailors. There are other industries, but the race predominates. The West End is the home of fashion and of power. Between these ends lies the real London, with all its wealth of long and tremendous history, of literary and legal repute, of commercial prestige, of architectural fame.

"The district across the water concerns the American visitor only in a few definite interests; all of London for him lies in a mile-wide band along the Thames, from the Tower to Westminster; but so rich is it that when he would summarize his impressions, he finds neither beginning nor end.

"The whole of Christian history speaks to one in the hum of the monster city, the writer says, and in thousands of possessions hallowed by memories. From the Tower, in turn palace, prison, arsenal, to the world-famous Abbey, made sacred to civilization by the illustrious dead gathered within its walls, Mrs. Albrecht finds the echoes of the past nowhere more rich or more impressive than in the Imperial city of earth's greatest empire. Of this echo from the past, to be heard in London, Mrs. Albrecht says:

"It is the tramp of Roman legions investing a squalid British hamlet; it is the battle-cry of Saxon and of Dane; it is the shout of the Norman conqueror, the echoes of the endless of his builders; it is the gay songs of the courtiers riding to this or that palace on the Thames; it is the chant of many psalms, the sob of martyrs; it is the thud of oars in muffled rowlocks, as a barge slips down the river from the judgment hall of Westminster to the Traitor's Gate at the Tower. It is the laughter of masques and revels in inns of court halls and gardens; it is the anthem when a king dies in Whitehall; it is the frenzy born of plague and fire; it is the babble and yells of roisterers, the dirge of nuns; it is the acclaim of a new prince and a new crown. It is all these and more—it is the throbbing of a city's heart; it is the voice of many peoples through two thousand years."

WITH THE POLITICIANS

Chicago, Philadelphia and San Francisco will bid for the Republican national convention.

George E. Ellis, one-time base ball magnate and later mayor of Grand Rapids, aspires to the Michigan governorship.

Democratic, Republican, Washington, Socialist, Prohibition, Bull Moose, Roosevelt Progressive, Keystone and Personal Liberty are the party names that will appear on the Pennsylvania ballots at Tuesday's election.

Should Mr. Marshall be named a second time for vice-president, it will be an unusual distinction, since never before in history of the party have the Democrats renominated a vice-president.

The impression seems to be gaining ground in Ohio that Gov. Willis will decide to try for another term in the executive chair and leave the Buckeye State Republicans to choose between Messrs. Herrick and Burton for the presidential nomination.

Judge Irv. E. Robinson, president of the Supreme Court of Appeals of West Virginia, is expected soon to resign from the bench to enter the contest for the Republican nomination for governor of his state.

Former Gov. Herbert S. Hadley has cleared the political atmosphere of Missouri to some extent by making definite announcement of his candidacy for the Republican nomination for United States senator to succeed James A. Reed, whose term will expire in March, 1917.

Iowa is beginning to manifest a great deal of interest in the fight for the suffrage amendment being made by the women, who have been campaigning actively for six months now. The question will be submitted to a decision of the voters at the primaries next June.

James E. Watson, Republican whip when Cannon was speaker of the house, is vigorously pursuing his campaign for the United States senatorial nomination in Indiana. Mr. Watson's chief opponent for the nomination at this time appears to be Hugh T. Miller, a prominent business man and for two terms lieutenant governor of Indiana.

Three Republican candidates are actively in the field for Republican nomination for United States senator from Nebraska to succeed Gilbert M. Hitchcock, the Democratic incumbent. They are Albert J. Cornish, John L. Kennedy, an Omaha lawyer, and Chester H. Aldrich, former governor and a big "bull moose" man. The Democrats expect to renominate Senator Hitchcock without opposition.

Under the new primary system of making nominations in West Virginia, the delegates to the national conventions are not required to commit themselves to the candidacy of any presidential candidate, and, while there is a provision in the law which will permit candidates seeking the nomination for the presidency to submit their names to the voters on the primary ballot, there is nothing binding in the selection of the delegates. They may follow the choice of the voters if they choose, or cast their ballots for any other candidate.

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LOST—A pocket book, containing a large sum of money between Fulton's coalbank and Eleventh street. Reward if returned to Mrs. John Confer, 1111 Dorey St.

LOST—Monday evening, 6 boy's waists, between Luther Passmores in Paradise and Will Meise' in West Clearfield. Finder please return to William Meise. 28

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NEW SUITS—Late Fall and Winter Styles

We have now on display a remarkable collection of Fur trimmed, braided and plain Suits, some are belted jackets with the smart flare below the waist line. This style is becoming to most all figures while for Misses and slender Women the short, loose, boxey style is especially becoming.

New Fur Trimmed Suits

Navy and black Broadcloth and Poplin Suits at .... $17.50 to $36.00
Plain and Belted style Suits in navy, black, green and brown $9.90 to $35

New Sealette Coats

Medium and full flare and belted styles plain and fur trimmed. These are made of "Salts" Seal Plush—guaranteed satin lining .... $24 to $35

Silk Shadow Stripe Plush Coats

Full flare belted Coat with "Skinners" Satin lining .... $24, $25 and $26

Persianna Coats

Belted and straight flare styles .... $16.50 to $20.00

Corduroy Coats

Brown, navy, green and black .... $16.50 to $22

Charming New Winter Millinery at Popular Prices

There is always something new to show in this department. Just now we are showing splendid values in velvet and plush shapes in tricorn, large and small sailors, new high crowned puritan sailors and turbans.

New Motor Millinery

Ready to wear Hats and Caps. These styles take the place and saves your Dress Hat, besides being more comfortable for auto and street wear.

Fashionable Furs

Decidedly lower prices on good Furs for this season. Muffs and neck pieces and scarfs in the new shapes made in Hudson Seal, plain and in combination with Fitch, Alaska Sable, genuine Mink, Jap and Nippon Mink, Beaver, Red and Grey Fox, Oppossum and Mole also all kinds of the popular black Furs used this season.

New Silk Petticoats

Chiffon Taffetas all colors and black many with the new scallop effect at bottom .... $2.50 to $5.50

Blankets and Comforts

Good values for your money in these.
Single Cotton Blankets 25c to 49c each
Cotton Blankets ......50c to $1.50 pr.
Cotton Woolnap Blkts $1.50 to $2.50 pr
Wool Blankets, cotton warp ....$2.50 to $3.90 pr.
All Wool Blankets ..$5.00 to $10.00 pr.

Furniture Department

Visit this department and look over the new line of furniture for every room in the house. Good dependable furniture at low prices.

Beautiful Pictures

A new line we have on display on the 4th floor. Reproductions of popular subjects by famous artists. Framed in latest style wood and gilt frames ... .50c to $10 each

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For Women, Misses and Children. combination and 2 piece Suits in high and low neck, long and short sleeves in the different weights for winter wear.

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High and low neck and long sleeves for Women and Children.

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THE "ZIP" EXTRACTED FROM THE ZONE

San Francisco's Monte Carlo And Other Places of Disrepute Has Been Closed

(By U. P. Staff Correspondent.)

San Francisco, Oct. 27.—The "zip" has been extracted from the Zone.

No longer do the "Streets of Cairo" teem with handsome harem girls (direct from the East Side of New York); no more do the "muscle dancers" shock the "small town" folks in the "Street of All Nations"; and likewise the "second shows" in the "Model's ream" and the "Girl in Blue" have been deleted by the censor.

The rattle of chips, the click of dice, and the whirring of roulette wheels in the "'49 camp" are stilled. The barkers along the Zone have been ordered to run some of their "spiel" through the muffler, and consequently, the Zone nowadays is fairly serene.

Only a month or so ago three shows ran full blast. Then the directors of the exposition began to hear from the folks who had risked at least one eye to gaze at the naughty sights in some of the shows. These persons didn't think the shows were a bit nice.

Particularly, they objected to the manner of the '49 camp. This institution, whose slogan was "the days of old, the days of gold, the days of '49," ran a regular Monte Carlo for a time it is said. It was closed down, only to reopen in a somewhat quieter fashion, using "scrip" instead of money. For a while the camp was largely patronized.

Every night fashionably gowned women, heavily jewelled, might be seen taking a fling at the faro bank, the roulette wheel or even shaking dice. These attractions were shut because it was held they were in violation of the state anti-gambling law. With the game gone, business slumped; the cage closed, its Indians took up their tents and silently stole away, while the "cowboy" musicians sought other fields.

The next move in the crusade to take the zip out of the zone was aimed at some of the shows.

They were "live" shows.

"Now, after the performance, we will have a second show, where you will see the dancers as you like to see them—just a bit more pep and spice," barked one spieler intimating that the dancers would be in costumes of smiles and beads.

With the "zip" thus fairly well extracted—and the close of the exposition only a few weeks off—the directors started to unearth the truth concerning reports they had heard that a gambling club was operating among the exposition employes.

Simultaneously, the San Francisco authorities did some crusading, which resulted in driving big lotteries out of business, in the city proper. It now appears that when December 4 rolls round, San Francisco will have the lid clamped down reasonably tight, after having it tucked conveniently away for months while strangers bent on having a good time were within her gates.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids or proposals will be received at the office of A. G. Kramre, the Secretary of the Clearfield School Board of Clearfield, Pa. until 12 o'clock noon Tuesday, November 9th, 1915, for the furnishing of the material and the performance of the work required for the plumbing, heating, ventilating and electrical work of the new High school building, to be erected on the school site on the south-west corner of First and Market streets in the Borough of Clearfield Pa. The bid for each of said items must be separate, to wit: the plumbing, the heating, the ventilating, and for the electrical work. The plans and specifications can be seen at the office of Harrington & Howard the architects of DuBois, Pa., or at the office of the Secretary of the Board of Education at Clearfield, Pa.

All bids must be made and submitted on special blank forms to be obtained from the architects. Each bid shall be accompanied by an approved Surety Company Bid Bond for the amount of Five Hundred ($500) Dollars, or a certified check made payable to the Clearfield Board of Education for One Hundred Fifty ($150.00) Dollars, as a guarantee that the bidder will if awarded the contract for either of said items enter into a bona fide contract with the Board of Education for the work and furnish the bond required under the specifications. If for any reason whatsoever the bidder fails to enter a proper contract and to execute a proper bond as required by the specifications, the amount of such guarantee shall be retained by the Board of Education as and for liquidated damage sustained by reason of his failure so to do. The bids, bonds or certified checks received from the unsuccessful bidders will be returned as soon as the contracts are awarded, signed and bonds furnished as called for above.

The Board of Education reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

A. D. BIGLER, President.
A. G. KRAMER, Secretary
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PAYMENT DAY ON BIG BOND ISSUE

New York, Oct. 28.—Tomorrow is the day on which the subscribers to the $500,000,000 Anglo-French bond issue recently floated here are expected to come forth with the money to pay for their purchases. Payment may be made either in full on that day or at the option of the purchaser, 50 per cent. tomorrow and balance on December 3. The bonds are to bear interest at 5 per cent. and will be due October 15, 1920.

WEDS GERMAN BARON

San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 27. (By United Press)—An international romance culminated here today in the marriage of Miss Milo Abercrombie and Baron von Brincken of Germany. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. George MacGowan of this city. After an extended honeymoon, Baron von Brincken and his bride will make their home on a ranch in the Santa Clara valley.

Liquor The B... Issue In ...

Columbus, Oct ... fight ever waged ... tion in Ohio is ... day the prohibition ... ly predict that the voters of ... Buckeye State will deal John Barleycorn a serious blow at the polls next Tuesday. They are hopeful that the blow will be a complete knockout.

Last year a state-wide prohibition amendment offered by the "drys" was defeated, and in its place there was passed a so-called home-rule amendment, which was initiated by the liquor forces. The temperance workers have been ... since, not so much over ... the prohibition amendment ... the success of the liquor measure.

In addition to the prohibition amendment, the voters at the coming election will pass on the new McDermott liquor license law adopted by the Republican legislature under Gov. Willis to supplant the present Greenlund license law. The measures differ practically only in the manner of the enforcement of the liquor laws.

While not taking part officially in the referendum on the McDermott license law the Democratic state committee indorsed the Greenlund act and called attention in resolutions to alleged defects in the McDermott bill. Answering this, the Republican state committee has adopted resolutions commending the Republican legislature for its labors in carrying out the pledges of the party platform. While the Republicans did not mention the McDermott law specifically, it is understood they stand for the measure.

Recently the fight over the liquor issue has been given another angle by the work of an organization known as the Stability League, headed by State Representative O. B. Chapman, of Dayton, which has proposed an amendment to the constitution prohibiting the resubmission to the voters of an amendment to the state constitution for six years after it has been twice defeated. The temperance leaders charge that "wet" interests are behind this. Chapman is a labor leader, but the labor unions in general are said to be against his proposal, as they see in it a movement to offset the initiative and referendum.

Through the municipal contests the saloon question is being brought even closer home to the voters than through the fight for the state amendments and referendum measures. Tuesday will see the end of spirited campaigns in almost every city of the state and in nearly all of these the temperance question is the chief issue. Cincinnati, the home of big breweries and distilleries since its first settlement, the anti-saloon and moral reform elements are fighting hard to elect men to public office who are favorable to their cause.

In Cleveland the Republicans and Democrats each have two candidates and one of the Democratic aspirants has come out against prohibition.

In Toledo the "drys" have put up a strong candidate for mayor against Mayor Carl Kellar, Republican, who was elected two years ago on the religious issue.

In Columbus there are upwards of a dozen candidates, the mayor to be elected on a non-partisan ballot. While there has been no special lineup on the saloon issue, the local ministers and church organizations have indorsed one of the candidates favorable to their cause and are working for his election.

It is in the smaller cities and towns throughout the state, however, that the liquor question looms most largely. It is there, too, that the temperance forces are waging their hardest fight against the saloon.

... ... times during ... kidneys ... flush off the ... you'll be a ... At ... kidney reg... ache, sick ... ache gets ... you feel rheumatic twinges when weather is bad.

Eat less meat, drink lots of water; also get from any pharmacist four ounces of Jad Salts, take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean clogged kidneys and stimulate them to normal activity, also to neutralize the acids in urine, so it no longer is a source of irritation, thus ending bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which everyone should take now and then to keep the kidneys clean and active. Druggists here say they sell lots of Jad Salts to folks who believe in overcoming kidney trouble while it is only trouble.

To Learn Whether Governor Hatfield "Meddled" in Commission Decision

Pittsburgh, Oct 27.—(By United Press.)—Whether Gov. Hatfield of West Virginia, meddled in the affairs of the West Virginia Public Service Commission was to be investigated today before ... Vandervert, in Pittsburgh.

Witnesses at the last hearing contended Hatfield insisted on directing the efforts of the commission in its negotiations with the Manufacturers Light and Heat Company.

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Following the example of other live towns and cities, and cooperating with State and National Associations, the business and professional men of Clearfield are preparing a CREDIT RATING BOOK.

This book will contain a record of just how PROMPTLY, OR SLOWLY, ALL RESIDENTS OF CLEARFIELD AND THE SURROUNDING COUNTRY PAY THEIR BILLS.

WEALTH will not be the basis of the ratings. All persons who pay their bills promptly will be rated as PROMPT PAY. Persons who are slow pay will be rated SLOW PAY. HOW A MAN PAYS HIS BILLS will be the keynote of the Credit Rating Book, which will be in the hands of the business and professional men of Clearfield and vicinity.

A GOOD RATING IS DESIRABLE because it means that your CREDIT HAS PROVEN GOOD. This is important to everybody, because future credit accommodations may depend largely upon the book ratings.

THEREFORE, ALL WHO ARE DELINQUENT IN THE PAYMENT OF THEIR ACCOUNTS SHOULD CALL ON THEIR DEALERS NOW AND EITHER PAY THEIR BILLS OR MAKE OTHER SATISFACTORY ARRANGEMENTS REGARDING THEM AND THEREBY

KEEP THEIR CREDIT GOOD

ADULT AMERICAN MUST REMAIN IN RANKS

Americans of Adventurous Spirit Cannot be Aided by State Department

BY WILBUR S. FORREST.
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

London, Oct. 6.—(By Mail)—Adult Americans whose adventurous spirits tempted them to enlist in European belligerent armies must remain soldiers until they are killed or the war is ended.

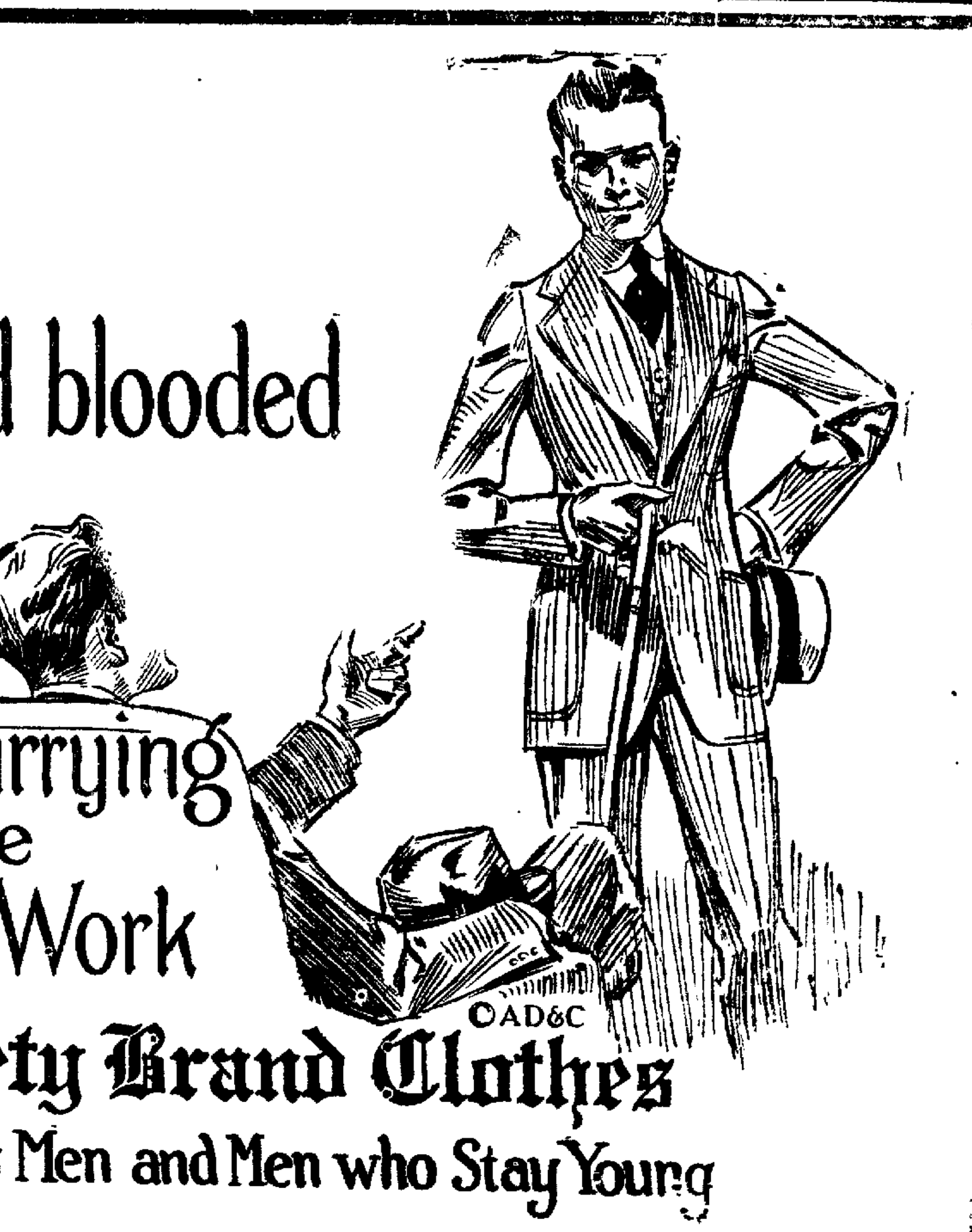
This is the situation confronting scores of Uncle Sam's citizens who have had their fill of war and want to get out. Uncle Sam can't help them, though many have requested his mediation. The British war office will not release the Americans it has enlisted.

The American embassy in London ... has been successful in having between fifty and sixty Americans minors released from British military service, could not extend this service to the adults.

In answer to many appeals from men who joined the Canadians and who have survived hard fighting, the embassy passed the question to the state department at Washington. The department's answer quoted the following order of 1901, which is still in force.

"The department of state, in an instruction to the United States consul at Lourenco Marques, during the Boer war, held that an American citizen who wilfully takes up arms in the service of a foreign state must bear the consequences of his act. He can not expect, while he serves under a foreign banner, to be protected by his government."

So American fighters must keep on fighting until death or peace musters them out.



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Gossip for Tonight's Tea Table

Miss Shapiro is in Steubenville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Robinson attended Mrs. Kelly's funeral in Curwensville yesterday.

Mrs. Hugh Daugherty spent Wednesday in Curwensville.

Frank Flynn and son of Mahaffey were city visitors yesterday.

Frank Snyder and son and Mrs. Lansberry of Woodland spent yesterday with friends.

Mrs. Spearling and Miss Wagner, of Grampian, were calling on friends in town Wednesday.

Ed. Goodfellow, of Indiana, is visiting his sister Miss Ella Goodfellow on Second street.

Chas. M. Waples, of Tyrone, was a city visitor yesterday.

Mrs. J. O. Stanley and daughter Grace, of Philipsburg were shopping in town yesterday.

Edgar Shaw of Shawville, had business in town yesterday.

Mrs. Carl Patchin of Burnside visited friends in town yesterday.

Miss Emma Kujawa, of Curwensville was shopping in tawn yesterday.

Prof. B. C. Youngman gave a very interesting talk at the Presbyterian Prayer meetin last evening on "Judge Not That Ye be Not Judged."

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Miller of Surveyor Run were shopping in town yesterday.

A. M. Thatcher and family motored to Osceola yesterday.

Mrs. H. P. Bowler, Miss Lizzie Bowler, Mrs. Dole and Mrs. R. C. Wright called on friends in Philipsburg.

Mrs. Fielding accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Pollard to Pittsburg in their car, where she will visit for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Crosby and family, of Philipsburg motored to town yesterday to shop in our stores.

Mrs. Bud Lindermuth, of Harrisburg is visiting Miss Carrie Powell on Second street.

Mrs. E. J. Montz of Smoke Run, motored to town today and called on friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Bloom, Clayton Shaw, and Mrs. R. C. Shaw have returned home after an extended tour of the western part of the state.

Harry Boutlon, of Houtzdale, is in town today.

Lewis L. Byers, of Smoke Run is a Clearfield visitor.

Henry Dill motored to Tyrone yesterday to meet his sisters Mrs. A. E. Patton and Miss Alice Dill who were returning from Pittsburg.

J. P. O'Laughlin and A. L. Cole have returned from Philadelphia.

W. L. Cochran of uBois, transacted business in town today.

John Forsythe was a DuBois visitor yesterday.

James Purcell transacted business in DuBois yesterday.

R. F. D. NO. 2

Good evening! It is butchering season and we see evidences of it every day. Among those we recall having butchered the past week are William Gumett, Ed Brown, and Thos. McCorkle. Reporting butchering, corn husking, apple butter 'bilin' and pumpkin gathering news is rather tame business compared with the job of the war correspondent but it bespeaks a condition of peace and is more to our taste.

We haven't much time to spare these days since the length of our route has been increased and have to decline waiting while a patron writes a letter, so they can post it with us, but a cetrtain woman pulled one off on us the other day. She came out and asked us if we would have time to eat a piece of pumpkin pie. Of course we smiled and replied in the affirmative and after waiting about five minutes in delicous anticipation she came out carrying a large bundle and immediately we thought of having pumpkin pies for at least a week when she said, "the men must have eaten all the pie, but I would like to have you mail this parcel for me and I will pay you tomorrow." We felt all afternoon as though we had lost something and haven't found it yet.

We wish to thank the party that found the bundle of catalogues and put them in his mail box for us and wish there was some way to punish those drivers of automobiles who will sneak up on you and then give a shriek as they go by. It is enough to scare a wooden Indian much less a fractious and excitable horse and has been the cause of us having things jerked our of our buggy several times.

We wonder, when we see so many youngsters of school age roaming the streets, where our truant officer is? One case, just over the borough line, where we see 3 boys and several girls every day loafing and growing up in ignorance and learning only from the school of vice. These are candidates for our jail and county home. Can we afford it?

TO MAKE WEEK S HORTER

Montevideo, Oct. 28.—(By United Press). — t was announced today that the chief executive will send a recommendation to parliament asking a revision of the calendar shortening the week to six days and making the seventh arbitrarily a national holiday.

CURWENSVILLE

Miss Ruth Shearer was in Clearfield yesterday afternoon.

George Gray had business at the county seat yesterday.

Rev. Cook returned Tuesday night from a trip to Pittsburg.

Edgar Buzzell was in Woodland yesterday afternoon.

Clarence Wright, of Osceola, was in town yesterday.

Miss Kathryn Dyer has just returned from a visit to New York city.

T. R. Graffith, of Clearfield was in town yesterday.

C. M. Meredith, of Snow Shoe had business in Curwensville yesterday.

H. E. Arthur, of Indiana, was in town Wednesday.

Mrs. R. R. Robinson was in Clearfield yesterday afternoon.

The P. R. R. are fixing up their siding to the Dyer Mill this week.

Mrs. Lee Hemaley, of Chambers- today.

L. K. Hays had business at Irvona today.

Mrs. Lee Remaley ,of Chambersville, Indiana county, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Richards on George street.

Green Bell, of Bells Landing was in Curwensville yesterday morning.

James Redding, of Clearfield, motored to town yesterday morning.

Isaac Black, who has been drilling a well, at Frenchville, returned home last night for a brief stay.

JERSEY CORPORATIONS GET TOGETHER.

Asbury Park, Oct. 28.—(By United Press.)—About 150 public service corporations of the state organized as the New Jersey Utilities Association will meet in first annual convention here today.

JUNK! JUNK!!

We will pay highest cash price for old material, rgas, rubbers, copper iron, books and magazines.

J. HARRIS,

Opposite Norris Meat Market.

A. W. LEONARDSON CO. MARKET STREET, A. W. LEONARDSON CO.

"Month-End" Sale of Desirable and Seasonable Merchandise

For Three Days Only---Thursday, Friday and Saturday, OCTOBER 28, 29 and 30

For the last three days of October we are going to offer many special values in desirable and seasonable merchandise. Here is an opportunity for every woman in Clearfield and surrounding towns to profit richly by taking full advantage of these exceptional values listed below. Come tomorrow prepared to obtain the best values you have ever been offered at this time of the year.

$1.00 DRESS GOODS AT 59c YARD.

New lot of French and Storm Serge Dress Goods; 42 and 50 inches wide (note the widths); all the new shades as well as black are included; regular $1.00 value; a remarkable bargain at 59c yard.

10c FLANNELETTES, 7½c Yard.

Good assortments of striped and figured patterns to choose from; regular 10c values, 27 inches wide; special for these three days at 7½c yard.

BEST 10c OUTINGS, 6c YARD.

Here is your opportunity to supply your Outing needs at a big saving in price. Best quality Outings that sold regularly for 10c; special for these three days at 6c yard.

$1.50 OUTING GOWNS AT $1.19.

Ladies' Outing Flannel Gowns made of a good heavy quality of Outing; regular $1.50 values, special at $1.19.

LADIES' FLANNELETTE HOUSE DRESSES AT SPECIAL REDUCED PRICES.

Good assortment of pretty patterns to choose from; they slip on like a coat.

$1.50 values, special at $1.19
$2.00 values, special at $1.69

19c HUCK TOWELS, 15c.

Splendid quality Huck Towels; size 18x36 inch; plain borders; regular 19c value.

SEVERAL LOTS CHILDREN'S SWEATERS REDUCED

Here are reduced prices:
Children's 75c Sweaters for..49c
Children's $1.25 Sweaters for 79c
Children's $2.00 Sweaters for 98c
Children's $3.25 Sweaters..$1.48

Ladies' Heavy Knit All-Wool Sweaters Marked Down.

Ladies' $3.25 Sweaters at..$1.98
Ladies' $5.00 Sweaters at..$2.98
Ladies' $6.50 Sweaters at..$3.98
Ladies' $8.00 Sweaters at..$4.98

$1.50 CORSETS AT $1.00.

One lot of Ladies' Corsets that sold regularly for $1.50; special at $1.00.

Children's Gingham School Dresses Marked Down.

Children's $1.00 Dresses at..89c
Children's $1.50 Dresses at..98c
Children's $2.00 Dresses at $1.69

2 UNDERWEAR SPECIALS,

One lot of Ladies' Fleeced lined Vests; regular 25c and 30c values; special at 19c

One lot of Children's Fleeced lined Underwear; regular 25c values; special at 19c.

Lace and Scrim Curtains Reduced for These Three Value-Giving Days.

All $1.00 Curtains for.....79c
All $1.50 Curtains for.....$1.19
All $2.00 Curtains for.....$1.69
All $2.50 Curtains for.....$1.98
All $3.00 Curtains for.....$2.48
All $3.50 Curtains for.....$2.98

SILKOLINE COVERED COMFORTS FOR $1.00.

These Comforts are the best you ever bought for the money; full bed size; filled with pure white cotton; regular $1.50 value special for $1.00.

LARGE SIZE COTTON FLEECED BLANKETS AT $1.00.

New cotton Fleeced Blankets in white, grey and tan; double bed size (64x80) good heavy quality; worth $1.25 each; special at $1.00 pair.

FINE WOOL BLANKETS AT $4.50 AND $5.00.

Large double bed size Fine White Wool Blankets; bound with silk; pink or blue borders; best values we have ever offered at these prices—$4.50 and $5.00.

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SAVE MONEY ON ROOM SIZE RUGS.

Good selections of pretty floral and Oriental designs in all the different qualities. Read these items and see what you save.

Room size Ingrain Rugs at $5.95
$12.00 9x12 Tapestry Rugs at $10.00.
$15.00 9x12 Tapestry Rugs at $12.00.
$16.50 9x12 Tapestry Rugs at $13.50.
$19.50 9x12 Wilton Velvet Rugs at $15.95.
$21.50 9x12 Axminster Rugs at $17.50.
$25.00 9x12 Axminster Rugs at $19.75.
$30.00 9x12 Body Brussels Rugs at $24.50.
$45.00 9x12 Royal Wilton Rugs at $39.75.

SPECIALS IN SMALL RUGS.

Small Rugs are always needed in the home; get a supply now at these special low prices.

$1.50 VELVET RUGS, 89c.

27x54 Velvet Rugs in a good selection of floral and Oriental pattern; regular $1.50 value, 89c

$3.50 AXMINSTER RUGS, $1.95

36x60 Axminster Rugs that sell elsewhere at $3.50—our special price, $1.95.

Give The Home a Square Deal

There was a time---right in this State, too---when no man had a right to vote, unless he was the possessor of houses and lands and had a regular income from property.

How would you like to have such a doctrine applied today? Wouldn't it make you mad?

Well, women need the vote just as much as you do. They need it to see that the home, which is women's place, gets a square deal. You can't "represent" a woman in such a matter. She needs a vote of her own. To deprive her of it is just as unfair as it would be to deprive you of your ballot right now.

Remember that when you enter the voting booth on Election Day.

Remember also that the amendments are printed at the bottom of the ballot, and vote "YES" on the first of them.

REAL ESTATE TRNASFERS

Nathan L. Hoover to Hugh McCullough, land in DuBois $3800.

F. H. Graff to Hugh Gallagher, land in Curwensville $300.

M. M. Overly to Stephen Chaffell, land in Clearfield $600.

Robert Hickok, to Harry Tuoner, land in ike township $800.

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In one minute your clogged nostrils will open, the air passages of your head will clear and you can breathe freely. No more hawking, snuffling, blowing, headache, dryness, no struggle for breath at night; your cold or catarrh will be gone.

Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist now. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic, healing cream in your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage of the head, soothes the inflamed or swollen mucous membrane and relief comes instantly.

It's just wonderful. Don't stay stuffed-up with a cold or nasty catarrh.—Relief comes so quickly.

UNCLE JOHN STILL LIVES.

Pittsburgh, Oct. 28.—(By United Press.)—Uncle John Dinsmoor, 70, of Williamstown, W. Va., and this city, isn't dead, but he's got a monument with a statue of himself as its principal feature, placed near his grave-to-be in a Marietta, Ohio, cemetery. The epitaph reads "Uncle John. His soul was like a star and dwelt apart." Dinsmoor is a retired oil operator. The statue on his monument represents him leaning on an oil derrick.

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THE WEATHER
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Screaming Children Burned to Death In Fatal School Fire

Twenty-one Bodies Recovered From Ruins of St. John's Parochial School at Peobody Massachusetts

MORE DEAD BURRIED IN THE RUINS

Peabody, Mass., Oct. 28 (By United Press) — Twenty-one burned and crushed bodies had been taken from the St. John's Parochial school here at 10:30 today, and firemen predicted that this would be more than doubled when all the panic stricken children were released from the smoke filled hallways. It was thought the loss of life would reach fifty.

More than 500 children were at their classes when an explosion occurred, probably in the basement. An alarm of fire was sounded, but the flames spread with great rapidity and those on the top floor were met by billows of smoke as they attempted to escape down the stairs. Those on the lower floors of the three story brick building were thrown into panic and rushed about beyond the control of their teachers. Most of those on the lower floor escaped, but many were trampled and some were overcome by smoke.

When the fire department arrived the entire building was a mass of flames. So rapidly did the fire spread that many of the children in great many were killed or seriously injured by jumping, it is reported. Men and women from nearby houses rushed to the scene and held coats and blankets into which the children leaped. The heaviest loss was at the main door where the hall and stairway leading from the upper floors became choked with frantic children. The firemen were unable to rush their way through the crush and were forced to fight the fire from ladders.

Sisters of the school declared many of the children on the upper story had been unable to escape and undoubtedly had lost their lives. When firemen were finally able to reach the front door, they found three bodies just inside so jambed against the door it was only with the greatest effort that they were able to open it. One of these bodies was that of a boy who had been frightfully burned. The other two bodies were burned almost beyond recognition.

Mothers driven temporarily insane by terror and grief and half naked children rushing wildly in the midst of crowds crying for their parents, and a score of broken charred little bodies laid out in a row on the ground while the ruins of St. Johns Parochial school still smouldered and smoked, such was the scene this afternoon while firemen delved in the midst of the charred ruins in search of more bodies of children.

Every available ambulance answered the call that followed the outbreak of the school fire. Primarily they were intended to carry away injured children, but scores of mothers required the attention of the physicians and nurses. The ambulances made trip after trip hurrying away to the nearest hospital with raving mothers who had become almost insane at finding charred masses of flesh that had once been their little boys or girls.

That at least fifty children perished and that twelve of them injured will die as a result of the fire that swept St. John's Parochial School today, was theopinion of firemen. Sister Aldegon of the order of the Sacred Heart was one of the heroines of the great disaster. She saved the lives of twenty-five children by dropping them from a window to the outstretched arms of men standing below. Some of the youngsters she threw from the window by main force as they clung to her skirts terror stricken. Twice clouds of smoke rolled through the window where she stood and hid her from view of the watchers below. Murmurs of terror swept through the crowd, but the smoke rolled away and revealed the black robed sister as she swept another child to safety. Exhausted firemen told of acts of rare courage on the part of sixteen sisters, but agreed that the bravery of none of the sisters eclipsed that of Sister Aldegon.

Texas Governor Asks Additional Troops to Stop Raiding

Washington, Oct. 28. (By United Press)—President Wilson received a wire today from Governor Ferguson, of Texas asking that he send additional troops to the border. Ferguson reported that the situation in the vicinity of Brownsville is very serious and suggested that additional troops are needed in order to protect American lives. President Wilson turned the telegram over to Secretary Garrison with the suggestion that he take whatever action he thought necessary. With orders to fire across the border if necessary, American troops are today waiting developments.

Washington, Oct. 28. (By United Press) — That Governor Ferguson had not asked for additional federal troops in his telegram to the President today, but that instead had asked the President to urge General Carranza to use every power in his possession to stop further raids across the border by Mexican bandits, was explained at the white house this afternoon, when it was admitted the other statement had been made through unintentional error.

NOW RESTS IN AMERICAN MUSEUM.

Philadelphia, Oct. 28.—(By United Press.)—The landau in which the Empress Eugenie made her escape from Paris, September 5, 1870, following announcement of the defeat of her husband Napoleon III at Sedan, today was placed among the historical collections of the University of Pennsylvania.

The landau is in the Evans Dental museum of the university, founded by Thomas W. Evans, the famous Parisian dentist who accompanied the empress in her flight across the English channel.

FIFTY-FIVE CONVICTS CONFIRMED BY BISHOP.

Philadelphia, Oct. 28.—(By United Press.)—Fifty-five convicts in the Eastern penitentiary have just been confirmed by Bishop Garland, of the Episcopal Diocese of Pennsylvania. Warden McKenty announced that nearly two score others, who have joined the prison bible class, will be ready for confirmation within a short time.

MISSIONARY MEETING

Los Angeles, Oct. 28.—(By United Press.)—A meeting of the general executive committee of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the M. E. Church was scheduled to be conducted here today.

MISS EVA GIFFORD ACCEPTS POSITION IN WILLIAMSPORT

Miss Eva Gifford who for the past ten years has been employed in the A. W. Leonardson store, has accepted a fine position in Williamsport. Miss Gifford will leave Sunday to take up her new position.

She is one of the most popular and most capable employees of the company and she will be greatly missed not only by the company but also by their many customers as she was a most obliging employe.

MEETING OF I. O. O. F.

There will be a special meeting of the order at 7:30 Friday evening, October 29.

O 28 2t. H. F. MANN, N. G.

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FAREWELL PARTY IS GIVEN FOR MISS GIFFORD

The employees of the A. W. Leonardson store gave a delightful farewell party last evening at the home of Miss Gussie Craft, on Fourth street for Miss Eva Gifford who has accepted a position in Williamsport. Delicious refreshments were served. All wished Miss Gifford great success in her new surroundings.

MASQUERADE PARTY

A surprise masquerade party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Murray on Ogden avenue last evening in honor of Miss Ursula Murray's birthday anniversary. About 25 guests weer present and games and dancing furnished the chief amusement of the evening. Delicious refreshments were served which were enjoyed by all present. Decorations, refreshments and games were all in order of the hallowe'en spirit.

SOUTHERN COLLEGE CONFERENCE.

Nashville, Oct. 28.—The annual meeting of the Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools of the Southern states met in this city today for a two-day session. More than 100 delegates are in attendance, representing the principal educational institutions of Kentucky, Louisiana, Alabama, Georgia, Florida, Mississippi, Virginia, Tennessee and the Carolinas.

NEW ACTIVITIES TO BE INAUGURATED AT "Y" THIS YEAR

Secretary Lewis Returns From Trip With Head Full of New Ideas

Several Education Classes to be Started Soon —Social Activities is Feature of New Life at Y. M. C. A.

Mr. Lewis, secretary of the Y. M. C. A. returned home Monday evening from a week's vacation to Philadelphia, during which time he was active in association work. The trip was a very profitable one as he returned line with a head full of new ideas which he will promote this winter and arrangements for several concerts completed. Outside his activities in association work Mr. Lewis reports having a very enjoyable trip.

Among the work he did while in Philadelphia was to secure some fine entertainers for the coming winter Arthur Lockhart Seymour, the leading baritone of Philadelphia was secured to give an entertainment here in November. Mr. Seymour is a distinguished singer and the people of this community will be given a rare treat when he comes to town. Another noted entertainer that Mr. Lewis secured on his trip is Richard E. Wilson, former city librarian, of Philadelphia and at present promoter of service of the associations about Philadelphia.

Mr. Lewis also attended the conference of the Philadelphia Y. M. C. A. secretaries and gave a long account of the work at Clearfield by the chairman's request. Mr. Lewis was given a royal reception upon his entry by the whole convention and was also complimented by the different members on his work here.

Mr. Lewis secured the material for the public speaking club, which will start the first week in November, and also perfected the plans for the various other clubs which will be started this winter under his direction. New hymn books for the religious meetings were secured and arrangements for motion pictures were completed. On his return trip Mr. Lewis stopped off at several other cities and talked over association work but the details of these visits have not been made public.

From all appearances, the association will be a real community center this season. Things are already humming at the building on Second street and plans are beginning to materialize. One of the features of the new life at the association is the social activities which have previously been molested. These will be started within the near future as plans for the first number are being laid at present. Several young men are co-operating with the secretary and physical director in these new plans and they will be a success unless some new obstacle is confronted which is not likely to happen.

BISHOPS' COLLEGE MEET

Dallas, Tex., Oct 28.—(By United Press.)—The college of bishops of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, opened a three-day session here today.

RUSSIANS GUILTY OF DISIPATION, ACKERMAN AVERS

U. P. Correspondent Says Board of Inquary Would Disclose Official Rottenness

Claims Kitchener Was Deceived When Told Kowno Was Evacuated—Fortress Still a Strong One.

BY CARL W. ACKERMAN.
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

Kowno, Russia, Sept. 27.(By Courier to Berlin; Mailed to New York.)—Kitchener was deceived by his Russian adviser if they reported Kowno and other fortified cities "emptied" by the retreating army, for that is a half truth.

Kowno city is an "empty shell" but the nine forts and twenty new batteries are filled with powerful cannon,—over 1,300 of them—mostly undamaged. The hill sidse about the Memel river are store houses of ammunition. The city is plundered—shop after shop is wrecked and the 25,000 inhabitants remaining are barefooted and destitute.

If Russia were America, congress might find material here for many court martials and an army reorganization which would astound.

In Kowno, more than seven million rounds of rifle ammunition and several hundred thousand rounds of shrapnel and heavy artillery were found. A captured Russian lieutenant swore this ammunition did not "fit the guns." These valuable stores, which the Allies so badly needed, slipped in the wrong positions. Kitchener surely didn't know of this, think the Germans, or he would never have declared to the world that the Germans were winning only "empty shells."

Another thing an American investigation committte would find, would be evidence of dissipation. Empty champagne bottles and empty cases are almost as thick as guns. Officers tell me that in searching the abandoned desks in officers quarters they find women's lingerie and other evidences of "high life." Captured Russians and the few shop keepers who remained behind testify that nearly every officer had a mistress.

I talked to Dr. Prussian, who married a Brooklyn woman and who was for many years a doctor aboard North-German Lloyd passenger ships, about immortality among the Russian troops. He is a volunteer in the Russian hospital. He declared that the best residents of Kowno, who stayed here told him that many Russian girls and women were abandoned by retreating Russians—some of the girls 16 and 17.

I saw today Forts 1, 2, 3 and battery 4. Everywhere the finest guns were in position with not even the locks destroyed. Most of them were oiled and ready for instant use.

It is true that the German 42 cm. guns smashed some strategic positions. In fort No. 2 one 42 cm. shell drilled a hole 40 or 50 feet into the ground and exploded, destroying the only important communicating underground passage between the batteries. From the mute evidence of old torn boots, rifles, hats and coats thereabout it must have killed and buried alive more than a hundred men.

I can easily understand why this may have caused a panic among the officers and men, but I can not understand why a fortified city should be abandoned when less than 30 per cent. of the fortifications were fired at.

Battery 4, which commands the main, double track railroad, which the advancing Germans used, was not damaged. A captured Russian under-officer said today that not a German shell was fired at this battery.

When the Russians retreated they did it so suddenly that these cannon were not even used to destroy the railroad line. This lack of action was valuable to the incoming Germans, enabling them to make speedy progress

By two Russians I am told that the reason the advancing Germans capture so many Russians is that the officers receive word to retreat and instead of taking their armies with them, they load their valuables and their mistresses in their autos and hurry away.

An under-officer left in command of battery 4 when the officers fled, told me today in the penitentiary where he is imprisoned, that when he saw the high officers leave and was instructed to break the locks in the cannon neither he nor his men would do it.

Such is part of the story of Kowno German officers declare it is not an exception. The Germans believe Kitchener was truly "buncoed"—and that the Russian and French armies are paying the penalty for a weakened ally through this lack of information. If Kitchener's army fought like that the Germans could be in London next week, the Germans say.

WAR ODDITIES.

Berlin — The certification of copper threatens the existence of shower baths in the municipal schools.

(Tomorrow — What the Russians Did Destroy at Kowno.)

HIGH SCHOOL MASQUERADE PARTY THIS EVENING

One Act Farce to be Given by All-Star Cast Composed of Seniors

There will be a high school masquerade party in the high school bupilding under the auspices of the senior class this evening the proceeds of which will be given to the athletic association. A one act farce "Two College Tramps" which will be given by the seniors will be the ch ief attraction of the evening. Dancing and games will also be enjoyed by the students.

The characters of the farce are:
John Saunders (the parson) ..... Walter Kennard
John Ransom (Waggles) ..... Howard Stewart
Mrs. Susan Saunders (Aunt Susan) ..... Grace Connelly
Susan Ralston ....Ethel Ruth Boyce
Nellie Ransom (the maid) ..... Vera Ogden

BIDS FOR NEW HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING OPENED BY BOARD

Dawson Construction Co. Of Pittsburg the Lowest Bidder---Bid $67,750

Contract Not Awarded on Account of Contemplated Changes—Foundation Rapidly Nearing Completion.

The school board held a meeting Tuesday evening at which time the bids for the erection of the new high school building were opened, but no contract was let until further investigation and until an interview is held with the architects.

On account of the several minor changes in the plans which the board are contemplating on making the exact figures of the bids are not known at present, but as soon as the changes are decided upon the bid will be made public. In the bids there are prices on the contemplated changes which increase the cost of construction, but these have not been tabulated.

These bids include all the conveniences such as light, heat and plumbing but not the concrete construction work. This work was given to John Minns of DuBois some time ago and is rapidly nearing completion. The work on the building proper will probably not be started until next spring an account of the weather, but if there is a late winter this year the work will be started as soon as possible.

The lowest bid opened was that of the Dawson Construction company of Pittsburg, the amount being $67,750 but on account of the undecided changes it is not known whether this company will be awarded the contract. The highest bidder was Lew Wallace and Bellefonte, whose figures was $81,582.00. Mr. Wallace was the contractor of the Bellefonte high school building which was erected about four years ago.

The following is a list of the bidders and the amount not including the changes:

Dawson Construction Co., of Pittsburg $67,750.00.

Hyde Murphy Co., of Ridgeway, $70,665.00.

W. A. Lukens, of Clearfield $70,981.00.

Cuthbert Bros. Co., of Pittsburg $71,889.00.

Luna Mfg. Co., of Bradford, $72,950.00.

Lew Wallace of Bellefonte, $81,582.00.

DIMELING DANCE POSTPONED UNTIL WEEK FROM TOMORROW

Many Entertainments Set for Friday Night Cause Change in Date

Because of the many entertainments to take place on Friday night it has been decided to postpone the subscription dance which was to have been held until the following Friday night. Those holding tickets for tomorrow night's dance will not have to pay an extra subscription for the postponed dance.

Have you tried Denning's fresh buttered popcorn?

French Cabinet Has Resigned: Briand To Become Premier

Diplomatic Bungling In Bulgarian Case Given As Cause for Breaking Up Viviani Government

FRANCE AND ENGLAND BOTH DISGUSTED

Paris, Oct. 28 (By United Press)—The entire French cabinet's resignation was announced officially today. Premier Viviani offered his resignation previous to the resignation of the entire cabinet, as head of the French cabinet, today. President Poincaire, it was officially stated, asked Aristide Briand to form a new ministry.

The shake was attributed mainly to general dissatisfaction with the government's policy especially in connection with the German diplomatic victory which brought Bulgaria into the present war.

In France, as well as in England, the decision of the Bulgarians who had been waving between joining the allies and the central powers, to cast their lot with the latter, was attributed to diplomatic blundering.

The Chamber of Deputies adjourned after a stormy session today, at the request of M. Viviani, who asked that discussion of the cabinet's organization be put over until tomorrow. Consent was given.

Find Body of Woman Auditor Mutilated On Railroad Track

Pittsburg, Oct. 28. (By United Press)—The assistant city controller went to the morgue today and identified the headless and mutilated body of a woman found on the tracks of the Pennsylvania railroad near Roup station last night as that of Miss Sofia McCallin, auditor in the controller's office. Miss McCallin is the daughter of the former Pittsburg mayor and widely known in business and social circles. The body was found by Dr. Alexander. The head was severed and the body mutilated. How she came to her death is a mystery.

Fire Threatens Destruction of Irwin--Little Town Asks Help

Irwin, Oct. 28. (By United Press)—Fire which started at 8:30 this morning in the McClelland building in the center of the city and which is still raging, has so far destroyed three buildings, the McClellan building and two others. No details have been received as to the loss of life or the estimated damage so far done. The firemen are bravely fighting the flames which threaten to destroy the Citizen's National bank. Help was summoned from Jeanette and McKeesport.

Startling Disclosures Promises After Arrest of Bomb Fixers

New York, Oct. 28. (By United Press)—That in the arrest of Robert Fay and his associates for alleged conspiracy to blow up trans-Atlantic munition ships, the United States government has dipped into only the "froth of the whole matter" was a statement made to the United Press today by a very high government official. The arrest of the five men is the crystilization of several months work by a neutrality squad of picked men from the office of the collector of the ports of New York City.

WELL KNOWN RESIDENT OF TOWN DIES THIS MORNING

Samuel P. Schenck, of Clearfield Street Dies From Kidney Trouble

Samuel P. Schenck died this morning at 10:40 o'clock at his home on Clearfield street from kidney trouble, aged 73 years. Mr. Schenck was born at Howard, Centre county September 15, 1842, coming to Clearfield about 45 years ago. He was a partner of the contracting company known as Schenck and Markle and was active until his health became impaired.

The deceased was a life long member of the Lutheran churhc and took an active part in church work. He was also a member of the I. O. O. F. which organization will be in charge of his funeral. The funeral will be held from the Lutheran church, Sunday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock, Rev. Allenbach officiating.

Mr. Schenck is survived by his widow and the following children: Melvin, Edward, Cleo, and Mrs. Grey Miller all of whom reside in Clearfield.

FORTY CARLOADS OF HORSES PASS THROUGH TOWN TODAY

"Cannon Fodder" Consigned to the French Government Enroute to New York

Forty solid carloads of horses consigned to the French government will pass through Clearfield on the B. R. & P. between four and six o'clock this afternoon. These animals are from the Northwestern states, where they were gathered up by purchasing agents of the French government. The shipment will go through to New York, point of embarkation.

Prof Becker used "Royal Quality Flour" exclusively in his baking demonstration at Clearfield, Oct. 21 to 23. O 28 2t

Denning's fresh buttered popcorn is made every day

SOFT TONED DECORATIONS AT HORSE SHOW.

New York, Oct. 28.—(By United Press.)—Many fine horses never before exhibited have been picked up by exhibitors never before on the entry lists, for the National Horse Show at Madison Square Garden, November 6.

Madison Square Garden will be tastefully decorated in soft tones calculated to show off the gowns worn by society women. The color scheme as yet is a secret to all but the arrangement committee. These newcomers to the show ring have been purchasing liberally. Horses have been secured from some big stables that have come under the hammer, notably that of the late A. G. Vanderbilt.

Mr. Vanderbilt had been gathering horses at his Oakwood Farm with the intention of competing at this year's show. For some seasons he had entered only a few horses, thinking that as he was president of the association he should not strive for the ribbons, but last fall he determined to get together another fine stable and these horses have nearly all been sold.

James Cox Brady was a large purchaser, and he will exhibit at the show in harness, saddle and hunting classes. He also had a particularly fine lot of ponies. J. Campbell Thompson, who showed a fine lot of young harness horses at the White Plains show, will have these, together with his older campaigners, at the Garden. He has entered thirty-nine horses.

State Officials to Ask Public How It Likes the Juvenile Laws.

Boston, Oct. 28.—(By United Press.)—Prominent citizens just [illegible] about the juvenile [illegible] and the way they are administered, the Massachusetts probation board began a public hearing in the state house here today.

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THURSDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 28, 1915

Today's great thought: Gott and the Kaiser are new [illegible].

[illegible] we need a wee bit of boosting. Our [illegible] is just on the point of outgrowing its breeches, and [illegible] must be made for longer legs.

[illegible] Washington partyites pass over Bowman's [illegible] slap in the face, Bowman will be pleased to slap them on the other cheek at the first opportunity.

Mr. Bowman's kidding the voters when he arrogates unto himself full credit for "reducing the millage and wiping out the county debt." A cursory investigation of the county books will show that the county was out of debt before he came into office, and that the millage has not been reduced since that unfortunate event.

[illegible] town is just what you make it. Substantial men behind substantial growth is not "booming," and no amount of fub-dub can make it so. Substantial men are behind Clearfield's growth every minute of the day, which makes it hard to understand why some of our ultra-conservative people have such an inordinate fear of a "boom."

Boyd Kline is stirring the lethargic Democratic county organization into a perfect frenzy of activity to prevent his election to succeed H. L. Bowman as county commissioner. Kline is a belter with full justification for shaking the party which countenanced his defeat in the primaries by political rottenness which has no place in local affairs. Respectable Democrats will turn to him in droves on November 2.

A correspondent asks why The Progress so strongly opposes Bowman, and does not "go after" any of the other Democratic candidates. That is an easy question to answer. The Progress does not consider Bowman's record as a public official either clean or efficient, and does not believe that his "experience in office" will be used for the benefit of anyone save H. L. Bowman if he is reelected. Experience is a good thing. We have had one experience with Bowman, and that is enough.

APPRECIATION

Once in a blue moon we run across a bit of appreciation that has a sincere, cross-your-heart ring to it; the kind that you wish right heartily you could recognize occasionally in some of the sycophantic drueling that most people offend you with when there is something you can do for them. Turn over to page four and read the simple letter written by an Erie grocer to a local manufacturer telling him that the product of his factory is extra good, and is giving perfect satisfaction. It rings true, and is true, because the simple directness of an honest man sticks out of every corner of it. Would that the world were fuller of just this kind of honest appreciation of the work of men's hands and heads. It would be a better place to live in, and many of us who are at times persuaded to believe that insincerity is a predominating trait of mankind would again feel a tingle of pleasure when the thing we work hard to do is honestly called "good."

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Today's Geographic Study of The Great European War Zone

"London, first among the war capitals, and foremost among the battle theatres on English gorund,—by reason of its having become the storm center for operations of the mighty Zeppelins,—is sketched with all the intimate details of long friendship by Florence Craig Albrecht in a communication to the National Geographic Society. Speaking of the many-sidedness, the great size and the ancient dignity of London, Mrs. Albrecht says:

"There are so many Londons in one London, where begin with them? The London of Roman and Saxon, of Norman and Plantagenet; the London of Chaucer and Shakespeare, of Lamb and Dickens and Thackeray; the London of clubs and hotels; the London of factories and sweatshops; the London that administers the affairs of empire, and the London that dances and plays cricket. There is the summer London of the tourist; there is social London revelling in May; there is the November London of smoke and fog, busy and inhospitable; there is today a darkened London, somewhat apprehensive, but determined, a London different from any we have known.

"Putting aside all unproven traditions, its history begins with the coming of the Roman legions. Rome, seven centuries, was in her pagan prime, but Paris, then Lutetia, was an island hamlet in the Seine; Vienna was a small Roman camp; Berlin did not come into existence for many a century thereafter; Madrid first appears 1,000 years later; Brussels was founded in the 6th century, Amsterdam about the 13th of our era. These count not at all in London's age.

"The city of London, the commercial heart of the metropolis on the site of the British hamlet and Roman town, measures about a mile square. In the day time its inhabitants number more than 300,000; at night not a twelfth that number sleep there—land is too valuable for residence. During one day a million and a half of people pass through its gates. Beyond it and across the river spreads another London, of 5,000,000 people, over 130 square miles, and beyond beyond that 'Greater London,' the district covered by the metropolitan and city police, with 700 square miles and more than 7,000,000 inhabitants.

"Her inhabitants, straightened and laid end to end, would reach from New York to San Francisco. Of her 650,000 buildings, 500 are hotels and inns. One hundred thousand Americans pass through them in peaceful summers and 15,000 resided there before the war. The East End, beyond the 'city' and the Tower, is a manufacturing district, tenanted largely by Jewish tailors. There are other industries, but the race predominates. The West End is the home of fashion and of power. Between these ends lies the real London, with all its wealth of long and tremendous history, of literary and legal repute, of commercial prestige, of architectural fame.

"The district across the water concerns the American visitor only in a few definite interests; all of London for him lies in a mile-wide band along the Thames, from the Tower to Westminster; but so rich is it that when he would summarize his impressions, he finds neither beginning nor end.

"The whole of Christian history speaks to one in the hum of the monster city, the writer says, and in thousands of possessions hallowed by memories. From the Tower, in turn palace, prison, arsenal, to the world-famous Abbey, made sacred to civilization by the illustrious dead gathered within its walls, Mrs. Albrecht finds the echoes of the past nowhere more rich or more impressive than in the Imperial city of earth's greatest empire. Of this echo from the past, to be heard in London, Mrs. Albrecht says:

"It is the tramp of Roman legions investing a squalid British hamlet; it is the battle-cry of Saxon and of Dane; it is the shout of the Norman conqueror, the echoes of the endless of his builders; it is the gay songs of the courtiers riding to this or that palace on the Thames; it is the chant of many psalms, the sob of martyrs; it is the thud of oars in muffled rowlocks, as a barge slips down the river from the judgment hall of Westminster to the Traitor's Gate at the Tower. It is the laughter of masques and revels in inns of court halls and gardens; it is the anthem when a king dies in Whitehall; it is the frenzy born of plague and fire; it is the babble and yells of roisterers, the dirge of nuns; it is the acclaim of a new prince and a new crown. It is all these and more—it is the throbbing of a city's heart; it is the voice of many peoples through two thousand years."

WITH THE POLITICIANS

Chicago, Philadelphia and San Francisco will bid for the Republican national convention.

George E. Ellis, one-time base ball magnate and later mayor of Grand Rapids, aspires to the Michigan governorship.

Democratic, Republican, Washington, Socialist, Prohibition, Bull Moose, Roosevelt Progressive, Keystone and Personal Liberty are the party names that will appear on the Pennsylvania ballots at Tuesday's election.

Should Mr. Marshall be named a second time for vice-president, it will be an unusual distinction, since never before in history of the party have the Democrats renominated a vice-president.

The impression seems to be gaining ground in Ohio that Gov. Willis will decide to try for another term in the executive chair and leave the Buckeye State Republicans to choose between Messrs. Herrick and Burton for the presidential nomination.

Judge Irv. E. Robinson, president of the Supreme Court of Appeals of West Virginia, is expected soon to resign from the bench to enter the contest for the Republican nomination for governor of his state.

Former Gov. Herbert S. Hadley has cleared the political atmosphere of Missouri to some extent by making definite announcement of his candidacy for the Republican nomination for United States senator to succeed James A. Reed, whose term will expire in March, 1917.

Iowa is beginning to manifest a great deal of interest in the fight for the suffrage amendment being made by the women, who have been campaigning actively for six months now. The question will be submitted to a decision of the voters at the primaries next June.

James E. Watson, Republican whip when Cannon was speaker of the house, is vigorously pursuing his campaign for the United States senatorial nomination in Indiana. Mr. Watson's chief opponent for the nomination at this time appears to be Hugh T. Miller, a prominent business man and for two terms lieutenant governor of Indiana.

Three Republican candidates are actively in the field for Republican nomination for United States senator from Nebraska to succeed Gilbert M. Hitchcock, the Democratic incumbent. They are Albert J. Cornish, John L. Kennedy, an Omaha lawyer, and Chester H. Aldrich, former governor and a big "bull moose" man. The Democrats expect to renominate Senator Hitchcock without opposition.

Under the new primary system of making nominations in West Virginia, the delegates to the national conventions are not required to commit themselves to the candidacy of any presidential candidate, and, while there is a provision in the law which will permit candidates seeking the nomination for the presidency to submit their names to the voters on the primary ballot, there is nothing binding in the selection of the delegates. They may follow the choice of the voters if they choose, or cast their ballots for any other candidate.

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Medium and full flare and belted styles plain and fur trimmed. These are made of "Salts" Seal Plush—guaranteed satin lining .... $24 to $35

Silk Shadow Stripe Plush Coats

Full flare belted Coat with "Skinners" Satin lining .... $24, $25 and $26

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Brown, navy, green and black .... $16.50 to $22

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There is always something new to show in this department. Just now we are showing splendid values in velvet and plush shapes in tricorn, large and small sailors, new high crowned puritan sailors and turbans.

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New Silk Petticoats

Chiffon Taffetas all colors and black **many** with the new scallop effect at **bottom** .... $2.50 to $5.50

Blankets and Comforts

Good values for your money in these.
Single Cotton Blankets 25c to 49c each
Cotton Blankets ......50c to $1.50 pr.
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THE "ZIP" EXTRACTED FROM THE ZONE

San Francisco's Monte Carlo And Other Places of Disrepute Has Been Closed

(By U. P. Staff Correspondent.)

San Francisco, Oct. 27.—The "zip" has been extracted from the Zone.

No longer do the "Streets of Cairo" teem with handsome harem girls (direct from the East Side of New York); no more do the "muscle dancers" shock the "small town" folks in the "Street of All Nations"; and likewise the "second shows" in the "Model's ream" and the "Girl in Blue" have been deleted by the censor.

The rattle of chips, the click of dice, and the whirring of roulette wheels in the "'49 camp" are stilled. The barkers along the Zone have been ordered to run some of their "spiel" through the muffler, and consequently, the Zone nowadays is fairly serene.

Only a month or so ago three shows ran full blast. Then the directors of the exposition began to hear from the folks who had risked at least one eye to gaze at the naughty sights in some of the shows. These persons didn't think the shows were a bit nice.

Particularly, they objected to the manner of the '49 camp. This institution, whose slogan was "the days of old, the days of gold, the days of '49," ran a regular Monte Carlo for a time it is said. It was closed down only to reopen in a somewhat quieter fashion, using "scrip" instead of money. For a while the camp was largely patronized.

Every night fashionably gowned women, heavily jewelled, might be seen taking a fling at the faro bank, the roulette wheel or even shaking dice. These attractions were shut because it was held they were in violation of the state anti-gambling law. With the game gone, business slumped; the cage closed, its Indians took up their tents and silently stole away, while the "cowboy" musicians sought other fields.

The next move in the crusade to take the zip out of the zone was aimed at some of the shows.

They were "live" shows.

"Now, after the performance, we will have a second show, where you will see the dancers as you like to see them—just a bit more pep and spice," barked one spieler intimating that the dancers would be in costumes of smiles and beads.

With the "zip" thus fairly well extracted—and the close of the exposition only a few weeks off—the directors started to unearth the truth concerning reports they had heard that a gambling club was operating among the exposition employes.

Simultaneously, the San Francisco authorities did some crusading, which resulted in driving big lotteries out of business, in the city proper. It now appears that when December 4 rolls round, San Francisco will have the lid clamped down reasonably tight, after having it tucked conveniently away for months while strangers bent on having a good time were within her gates.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids or proposals will be received at the office of A. G. Kramre, the Secretary of the Clearfield School Board of Clearfield, Pa. until 12 o'clock noon Tuesday, November 9th, 1915, for the **furnishing of the material** and the **performance of the work required for the plumbing, heating, ventilating and electrical work of the new High school building, to be erected on the school site on the south-west corner of First and Market streets in the Borough of Clearfield Pa.** The bid **for each of said items must be separate, to wit: the plumbing, the heating, the ventilating, and for the electrical work. The plans and specifications can be seen at the office of Harrington & Howard the architects of DuBois, Pa., or at the office of the Secretary of the Board of Education at Clearfield, Pa.**

All bids must be made and submitted on special blank forms to be obtained from the architects. Each bid shall be accompanied by an approved Surety Company Bid Bond for the amount of Five Hundred ($500) Dollars, or a certified check made payable to the Clearfield Board of Education for One Hundred Fifty ($150.00) Dollars, as a guarantee that the bidder will if awarded the contract for either of said items enter into a bona fide contract with the Board of Education for the work and furnish the bond required under the specifications. If for any reason whatsoever the bidder fails to enter a proper contract and to execute a proper bond as required by the specifications, the amount of such guarantee shall be retained by the Board of Education as and for liquidated damage sustained by reason of his failure so to do. The bids, bonds or certified checks received from the unsuccessful bidders will be returned as soon as the contracts are awarded, signed and bonds furnished as called for above.

The Board of Education reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

A. D. BIGLER, President.
A. G. KRAMER, Secretary
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PAYMENT DAY ON BIG BOND ISSUE

New York, Oct. 28.—Tomorrow is the day on which the subscribers to the $500,000,000 Anglo-French bond issue recently floated here are expected to come forth with the money to pay for their purchases. Payment may be made either in full on that day or at the option of the purchaser, 50 per cent. tomorrow and balance on December 3. The bonds are to bear interest at 5 per cent. and will be due October 15, 1920.

WEDS GERMAN BARON

San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 27. (By United Press)—An international romance culminated here today in the marriage of Miss Milo Abercrombie and Baron von Brincken of Germany. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. George MacGowan of this city. After an extended honeymoon, Baron von Brincken and his bride will make their home on a ranch in the Santa Clara valley.

Liquor The B[illegible] Issue In [illegible]

Columbus, Oct [illegible] fight ever waged [illegible] tion in Ohio is [illegible] day the prohibition [illegible] ly predict that the voters of [illegible] Buckeye State will deal John Barleycorn a serious blow at the polls next Tuesday. They are hopeful that the blow will be a complete knockout.

Last year a state-wide prohibition amendment offered by the "drys" was defeated, and in its place there was passed a so-called home-rule amendment, which was initiated by the liquor forces. The temperance workers have been [illegible] since, not so much over [illegible] the prohibition amendment [illegible] the success of the liquor measure.

In addition to the prohibition amendment, the voters at the coming election will pass on the new McDermott liquor license law adopted by the Republican legislature under Gov. Willis to supplant the present Greenlund license law. The measures differ practically only in the manner of the enforcement of the liquor laws.

While not taking part officially in the referendum on the McDermott license law the Democratic state committee indorsed the Greenlund act and called attention in resolutions to alleged defects in the McDermott bill. Answering this, the Republican state committee has adopted resolutions commending the Republican legislature for its labors in carrying out the pledges of the party platform. While the Republicans did not mention the McDermott law specifically, it is understood they stand for the measure.

Recently the fight over the liquor issue has been given another angle by the work of an organization known as the Stability League, headed by State Representative O. B. Chapman, of Dayton, which has proposed an amendment to the constitution prohibiting the resubmission to the voters of an amendment to the state constitution for six years after it has been twice defeated. The temperance leaders charge that "wet" interests are behind this. Chapman is a labor leader, but the labor unions in general are said to be against his proposal, as they see in it a movement to offset the initiative and referendum.

Through the municipal contests the saloon question is being brought even closer home to the voters than through the fight for the state amendments and referendum measures. Tuesday will see the end of spirited campaigns in almost every city of the state and in nearly all of these the temperance question is the chief issue. Cincinnati, the home of big breweries and distilleries since its first settlement, the anti-saloon and moral reform elements are fighting hard to elect men to public office who are favorable to their cause.

In Cleveland the Republicans and Democrats each have two candidates and one of the Democratic aspirants has come out against prohibition.

In Toledo the "drys" have put up a strong candidate for mayor against Mayor Carl Kellar, Republican, who was elected two years ago on the religious issue.

In Columbus there are upwards of a dozen candidates, the mayor to be elected on a non-partisan ballot. While there has been no special lineup on the saloon issue, the local ministers and church organizations have indorsed one of the candidates favorable to their cause and are working for his election.

It is in the smaller cities and towns throughout the state, however, that the liquor question figures most largely. It is there, too, that the temperance forces are waging their hardest fight against the saloon.

[illegible] times dur[illegible] kidneys [illegible] flush off the [illegible] you'll be a [illegible] At [illegible] kidney [illegible] ache, sick [illegible] ache gets sour, [illegible] you feel rheumatic twinges when weather is bad.

Eat less meat, drink lots of water; also get from any pharmacist four ounces of Jad Salts, take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean clogged kidneys and stimulate them to normal activity, also to neutralize the acids in urine, so it no longer is a source of irritation, thus ending bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which everyone should take now and then to keep the kidneys clean and active. Druggists here say they sell lots of Jad Salts to folks who believe in overcoming kidney trouble while it is only trouble.

To Learn Whether Governor Hatfield "Meddled" in Commission Hearing

Pittsburgh, Oct 27.—(By United Press.)—Whether Gov. Hatfield of West Virginia, meddled in the affairs of the West Virginia Public Service Commission was to be investigated today before [illegible] Vandervert, in Pittsburgh.

Witnesses at the last hearing contended Hatfield insisted on directing the efforts of the commission in its negotiations with the Manufacturers Light and Heat Company.

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ADULT AMERICAN MUST REMAIN IN RANKS

Americans of Adventurous Spirit Cannot be Aided by State Department

BY WILBUR S. FORREST.
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

London, Oct. 6.—(By Mail)—Adult Americans whose adventurous spirits tempted them to enlist in European belligerent armies must remain soldiers until they are killed or the war is ended.

This is the situation confronting scores of Uncle Sam's citizens who have had their fil lof war and want to get out. Uncle Sam can't help them, though many have requested his mediation. The British war office will not release the Americans it has enlisted.

The American embassy in London which has been successful in having between fifty and sixty Americans minors released from British military service, could not extend this service to the adults.

In answer to many appeals from men who joined the Canadians and who have survived hard fighting, the embassy passed the question to the state department at Washington. The department's answer quoted the following order of 1901, which is still in force.

"The department of state, in an instruction to the United States consul at Lourenco Marques, during the Boer war, held that an American citizen who wilfully takes up arms in the service of a foreign state must bear the consequences of his act. He can not expect, while he serves under a foreign banner, to be protected by his government."

So American fighters must keep on fighting until death or peace musters them out.

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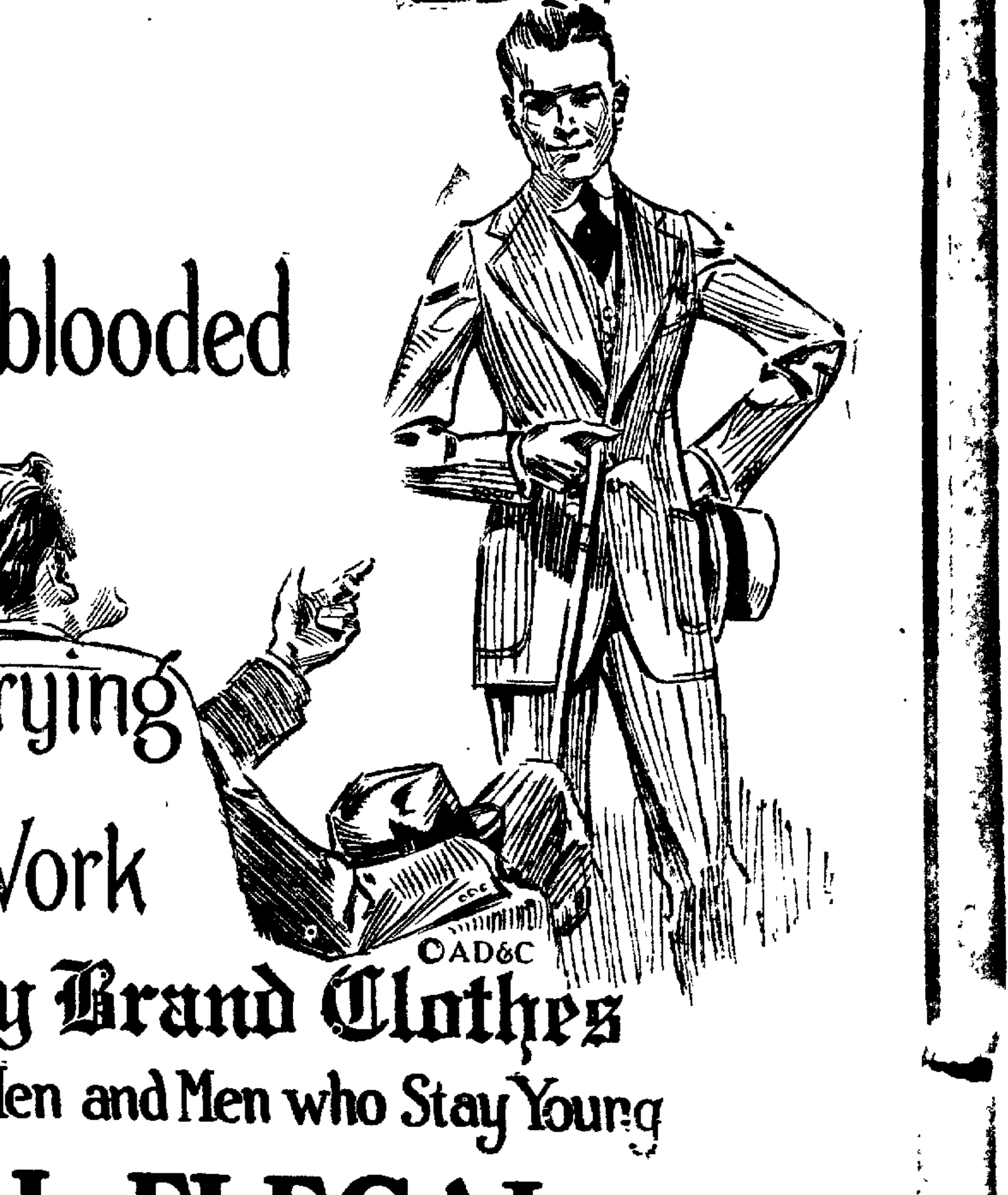

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ssip for Tonight's Tea Table

...s Shapiro is in Steubenville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Robinson attended Mrs. Kelly's funeral in Curwensville yesterday.

Mrs. Hugh Daugherty spent Wednesday in Curwensville.

Frank Flynn and son of Mahaffey were city visitors yesterday.

Frank Snyder and son and Mrs. Lansberry of Woodland spent yesterday with friends.

Mrs. Spearling and Miss Wagner, of Grampian were calling on friends in town Wednesday.

Ed. Goodfellow, of Indiana, is visiting his sister Miss Ella Goodfellow on Second street.

Chas. M. Waples, of Tyrone, was a city visitor yesterday.

Mrs. J. O. Stanley and daughter Grace, of Philipsburg were shopping in town yesterday.

Edgar Shaw of Shawville, had business in town yesterday.

Mrs. Carl Patchin of Burnside visited friends in town yesterday.

Miss Emma Kujawa, of Curwensville was shopping in tawn yesterday.

Prof. B. C. Youngman gave a very interesting talk at the Presbyterian Prayer meetin last evening on "Judge Not That Ye be Not Judged."

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Miller of Surveyer Run were shopping in town yesterday.

A. M. Thatcher and family motored to Osceola yesterday.

Mrs. H. P. Dowler, Miss Lizzie Dowler, Mrs. Dole and Mrs. R. C. Wright called on friends in Philipsburg.

Mrs. Fielding accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Pollard to Pittsburg in their car, where she will visit for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Crosby and family, of Philipsburg motored to town yesterday to shop in our stores.

Mrs. Bud Lindermuth, of Harrisburg is visiting Miss Carrie Powell on Second street.

Mrs. E. J. Montz of Smoke Run, motored to town today and called on friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Bloom, Clayton Shaw, and Mrs. R. C. Shaw have returned home after an extended tour of the western part of the state.

Harry Boution, of Houtzdale, is in town today.

Lewis L. Byers, of Smoke Run is a Clearfield visitor.

Henry Dill motored to Tyrone yesterday to meet his sisters Mrs. A. E. Patton and Miss Alice Dill who were returning from Pittsburg.

J. P. O'Laughlin and A. L. Cole have returned from Philadelphia.

W. L. Cochran of uBois, transacted business in town today.

John Forsythe was a DuBois visitor yesterday.

James Purcell transacted business in DuBois yesterday.

R. F. D. NO. 2

Good evening! It is butchering season and we see evidences of it every day. Among those we recall having butchered the past week are William Garnett Ed Brown and Thos. McCorkle Reporting butchering, corn husking, apple butter 'bilin' and pumpkin gathering news is rather tame business compared with the job of the war correspondent but it bespeaks a condition of peace and is more to our taste.

We haven't much time to spare these days since the length of our route has been increased and have to decline waiting while a patron writes a letter, so they can post it with us, but a cetrtain woman pulled one off on us the other day. She came out and asked us if we would have time to eat a piece of pumpkin pie. Of course we smiled and replied in the affirmative and after waiting about five minutes in delicous anticipation she came out carrying a large bundle and immediately we thought of having pumpkin pies for at least a week when she said, "the men must have eaten all the pie, but I would like to have you mail this parcel for me and I will pay you tomorrow." We felt all afternoon as though we had lost something and haven't found it yet.

We wish to thank the party that found the bundle of catalogues and put them in his mail box for us and wish there was some way to punish those drivers of automobiles who will sneak up on you and then give a shriek as they go by. It is enough to scare a wooden Indian much less a fractious and excitable horse and has been the cause of us having things jerked our of our buggy several times.

We wonder, when we see so many youngsters of school age roaming the streets, where our truant officer is? One case, just over the borough line, where we see 3 boys and several girls every day loafing and growing up in ignorance and learning only from the school of vice. These are candidates for our jail and county home. Can we afford it?

TO MAKE WEEK S HORTER

Montevideo, Oct. 28.—(By United Press). — t was announced today that the chief executive will send a recommendation to parliament asking a revision of the calendar shortening the week to six days and making the seventh arbitrarily a national holiday.

CURWENSVILLE

Miss Ruth Shearer was in Clearfield yesterday afternoon.

George Gray had business at the county seat yesterday.

Rev. Cook returned Tuesday night from a trip to Pittsburg.

Edgar Buzzell was in Woodland yesterday afternoon.

Clarence Wright, of Osceola, was in town yesterday.

Miss Kathryn Dyer has just returned from a visit to New York city.

T. R. Graffith, of Clearfield was in town yesterday.

C. M. Meredith, of Snow Shoe had business in Curwensville yesterday.

H. E. Arthur, of Indiana, was in town Wednesday.

Mrs. R. R. Robinson was in Clearfield yesterday afternoon.

The P. R. R. are fixing up their siding to the Dyer Mill this week.

Mrs. Lee Hemaley, of Chambers- today.

L. K. Hays had business at Irvona today.

Mrs. Lee Remaley ,of Chambersville, Indiana county, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Richards on George street.

Green Bell, of Bells Landing was in Curwensville yesterday morning.

James Redding, of Clearfield, motored to town yesterday morning.

Isaac Black, who has been drilling a well, at Frenchville, returned home last night for a brief stay.

JERSEY CORPORATIONS GET TOGETHER.

Asbury Park, Oct. 28.—(By United Press.)—About 150 public service corporations of the state organized as the New Jersey Utilities Association will meet in first annual convention here today.

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$1.00 DRESS GOODS AT 59c YARD.

New lot of French and Storm Serge Dress Goods; 42 and 50 inches wide (note the widths); all the new shades as well as black are included; regular $1.00 value; a remarkable bargain at 59c yard.

10c FLANNELETTES, 7½c Yard.

Good assortments of striped and figured patterns to choose from; regular 10c values, 27 inches wide; special for these three days at 7½c yard.

BEST 10c OUTINGS, 6c YARD.

Here is your opportunity to supply your Outing needs at a big saving in price. Best quality Outings that sold regularly for 10c; special for these three days at 6c yard.

$1.50 OUTING GOWNS AT $1.19.

Ladies' Outing Flannel Gowns made of a good heavy quality of Outing; regular $1.50 values, special at $1.19.

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Good assortment of pretty patterns to choose from; they slip on like a coat.
$1.50 values, special at $1.19
$2.00 values, special at $1.69

19c HUCK TOWELS, 15c.

Splendid quality Huck Towels; size 18x36 inch; plain borders; regular 19c value.

SEVERAL LOTS CHILDREN'S SWEATERS REDUCED

Here are reduced prices:
Children's 75c Sweaters for..49c
Children's $1.25 Sweaters for 79c
Children's $2.00 Sweaters for 98c
Children's $3.25 Sweaters..$1.48

Ladies' Heavy Knit All-Wool Sweaters Marked Down.

Ladies' $3.25 Sweaters at..$1.98
Ladies' $5.00 Sweaters at..$2.98
Ladies' $6.50 Sweaters at..$3.98
Ladies' $8.00 Sweaters at..$4.98

$1.50 CORSETS AT $1.00.

One lot of Ladies' Corsets that sold regularly for $1.50; special at $1.00.

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Lace and Scrim Curtains Reduced for These Three Value-Giving Days.

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All $3.00 Curtains for......$2.48
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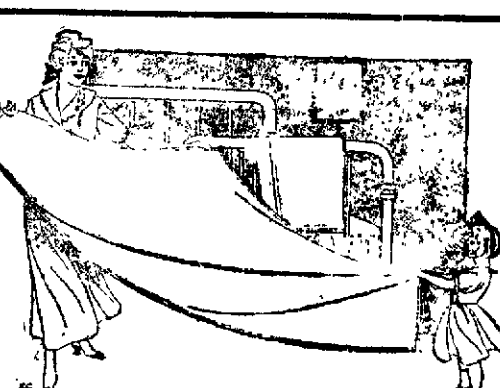

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These Comforts are the best you ever bought for the money; full bed size; filled with pure white cotton; regular $1.50 value special for $1.00.

LARGE SIZE COTTON FLEECED BLANKETS AT $1.00.

New cotton Fleeced Blankets in white, grey and tan; double bed size (64x80) good heavy quality; worth $1.25 each; special at $1.00 pair.

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Large double bed size Fine White Wool Blankets; bound with silk; pink or blue borders; best values we have ever offered at these prices—$4.50 and $5.00.

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Good selections of pretty floral and Oriental designs in all the different qualities. Read these items and see what you save.

Room size Ingrain Rugs at $5.95
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$19.50 9x12 Wilton Velvet Rugs at $15.95.
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$25.00 9x12 Axminster Rugs at $19.75.
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SPECIALS IN SMALL RUGS.

Small Rugs are always needed in the home; get a supply now at these special low prices.

$1.50 VELVET RUGS, 89c.

27x54 Velvet Rugs in a good selection of floral and Oriental pattern; regular $1.50 value, 89c

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There was a time---right in this State, too---when no man had a right to vote, unless he was the possessor of houses and lands and had a regular income from property.

How would you like to have such a doctrine applied today? Wouldn't it make you mad?

Well, women need the vote just as much as you do. They need it to see that the home, which is women's place, gets a square deal. You can't "represent" a woman in such a matter. She needs a vote of her own. To deprive her of it is just as unfair as it would be to deprive you of your ballot right now.

Remember that when you enter the voting booth on Election Day.

Remember also that the amendments are printed at the bottom of the ballot, and vote "YES" on the first of them.

REAL ESTATE TRNASFERS

Nathan L. Hoover to Hugh McCullough, land in DuBois $2800.

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M. M. Overly to Stephen Chaffell, land in Clearfield $600.

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Tells How To Get Quick Relief from Head-Colds. It's Splendid!

In one minute your clogged nostrils will open, the air passages of your head will clear and you can breathe freely. No more hawking, snuffling, blowing, headache, dryness. No struggle for breath at night; your cold or catarrh will be gone

Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist now. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic, healing cream in your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage of the head, soothes the inflamed or swollen mucous membrane and relief comes instantly.

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UNCLE JOHN STILL LIVES.

Pittsburgh, Oct. 28.—(By United Press.)—Uncle John Dinsmoor, 70, of Williamstown, W. Va., and this city, isn't dead, but he's got a monument with a statue of himself as its principal feature, placed near his grave-to-be in a Marietta, Ohio, cemetery. The epitaph reads "Uncle John. His soul was like a star and dwelt apart." Dinsmoor is a retired oil operator. The statue on his monument represents him leaning on an oil derrick.

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